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Arrivals.

Aug. 9, Agatha Johanna, N. G. barque,

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Aug. 9, Villa de Rivadavia, Span. brig,

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ton, Foochow, Amoy and Swatow, Aug. 5,

Departures.

Cruiser, for Kelnug.

Sophia, for Chefoo.

Japan, for Tientsin.

10. Azof, for East Coast.

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New Advertisements: CONSULAT DE FRANCE.

AMEDI, 15 courant, à l'occasion de la Fête de S. M. l'Empereur, une messe sora célébrée en l'Eglise catholique, à 7 be closed from the 5th to the heures du marin, pour leurs Majestés of August, both days inclusive. l'Empereur, l'Impératrice et le Prince

BENEFIT OF W. THOMPSON.

To-morrow (Tuesday) Evening,

COMBINATION

August 11th.

Le Count de France, HENRI DU CHESNE.

the Interest of the WANGHI STEAM BAKERY." begs to notify the Public of Hongkong and Ship Masters that he is prepared in various forms, to any part of the Co- mises at 3 P.M.

low rates constantly on hand or baked in hammer and balance on completion quantities at short notice. Also Water, Butter, Soda and Sugar BISCUITS by the Barrel, Tin or Pound.

CORN STAROH, BIOARB, SODA, Sale-FLOUR of best Brands constantly on hand supplied by the Barrel, Bag, Tin or

CAKE of all kinds baked to order. The above is under the Superintendence of Mr Jonathan Parsons, and all orders forwarded to him, at the Bakery, or left at Messra Tuos. HUNT & Co.'s will receive

L. P. WARD. Hongkong, February 17, 1868.

LARS. VINTON'S PRIVATE FAMILY BOARDING ESTABLISHMENT, Hollywood Road, next door to the Horel DE EUROPE. Hongkong, May 1, 1867.

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION. GENERAL WEEKLY SALE AMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. will sell by Public Auction, on

TUESDAY.

An Invoice of OILMAN'S STORES. consisting of Pickles, Vinegar, Mustard. Salad oil, Jams, Jellies, Bloaters, Macaroni, Vermicelli, dried Herbs, 5 cases prime English Cheese, 5 cases prime York Hams, 1 cask Vestphalia Hams, 150 boxes Yellow Sonn, 5 cases Toiletsoap comprising Brown, Windsor, Honey and Skin Soap, etc., etc., 25 roams foolsaul3 cap paper, blue and white, 40 boxes candles, 1000 flasks FFF Powder, 100 Rifles etc., etc., 10 cases Bryant and Mays Matches, 20 casks Ale in pints, 25 casks Ale in quarts, 25 cases Guiness Stout in quarts, 60 cases Medoc Claret 10 cases refined Loaf Sugar, 15 barrels prime Irish Pork, 40 drums Hubbuck's boiled Linseed Oil, 30 bolts Canvas, 75 cases Palmtree Gin, 50 cases Brandy 120 doz. Towels assorted qualities, doz. linen Haudkerchiefs, 2hand Organs,

> TERMS.—Cash before delivery in Mexi can dollars weighed at 7.1.7. Hongkong, August 8, 1868.

VALUABLE LIBRARY. ANE, CRAWFORD & Co. will sell

Sales Rooms, Queen's Road. A valuable collection of BOOKS, in-

number of Scientific Works, and

many other literary productions of the who has given up house-keeping."

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7 All Lots with all faults and errors of description at purchaser's risk on the fall

of the hammer. Hongkong, July 11, 1868.

NEWSPAPER BUSINESS

structions from the Proprieter (who

Unless previously disposed of by Pri-

18th August next at their Sales Rooms, Keang Se Road,

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., Shanghai LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., Hongkong. Hongkong, July 23, 1868.

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION: THE Undersigned has received instructions from the Trustees of DENT & Co.'s Estate to sell by Public Auction, (if not previously disposed by private sale) on the 5th day of September next, the Property situated at the corner of Wellington and d'Aguilar Streets on a portion of Inland Lot No. 137, and known as DENT & Co.'s STABLES. The Property has a frontage of about 97 feet in Wellington Street 76 feet on d'Aguilar Street and comprises an area

of about 7370 square feet. The Sale will take place on the Pre-

TERMS OF SALE, -One half of the pur-Also Ship BREAD of best quality and at clease money to be paid on fall of the transfer. The Property to be at purchaser's risk on fall of the hammer. For further particulars apply to

W. N. MIDDLETON, Hongkong, July 9, 1868.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

HE Undersigned have received instructions from the Trustees of DENT & Co.'s Estate, to sell by Public Auction (if not previously disposed of by private sale), on an early day in November next,

The BUILDINGS known as DENT & Co.'s HONGKONG PRAYA PROPERTY, measuring 298 feet in frontage by 175 feet in depth; situated on Marine Lot No. 7, and consisting of

One DWELLING HOUSE in the Eastern Wing, containing 5 Rooms on the 1st Floor and 8 Rooms on the 2nd Floor, with Bath Rooms, Kitchens, Out Offices, &c., &c. with Gas and Water laid on, and a Godown below capable of holding about 2,000 Tons

The Centre BUILDING known as DENT & Co.'s Offices, containing 8 Rooms, Compradore's Quarters, Spacious Fireproof Treasury and Godown, capable of holding about 1,000 Tons. Ono: DWELLING HOUSE in the

Western Wing, containing 5 Rooms on the 1st Floor and 6 Rooms on the 2nd Floor, with Bath Rooms, Kitchens, Out Offices, &c., &c. with Gas and Water laid on, and Godown below of about 2,000 Tons

Crown Rent \$917,64 per annum These Buildings have only been erected two years and are built of Granite and Brick, the woodwork being Teak through- trai and South America, at Aspinwall with

other in one or more lots to suit pur-TERMS OF SALE. One third of th

purchase money to be paid on fall of the hammer, one third 2 months after sale, and the balanco 4 months after sale; in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. Transfer expenses to be borne by the

For further particulars or details plans, apply to Messrs BREMNER & LAYCOCK. 4, Austin Friars. Old Broad Street.

London, E.C., Or, in Hongkong, to the Undersigner MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co. Hongkong, June 10, 1868.

- Banks.

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SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL, FIVE MILLIONS OF DULLARS.

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VICTOR KRESSER, Chief Manager. Offices of the Corporation No, 1, Queen's Road East, Hongkong, June 17, 1868

Australia, America, China and Japan.

COMPAGNIE DES SERVICES MA-RITIMES DES MESSAGERIES . IMPERIALES. PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANÇAIS

STEAM FOR SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, POINT DE GALLE, ADEN, SUEZ, ALEXANDRIA, MESSINA. MARSEILLES.

BOMBAY, PONDICHERY, MADRAS, AND CALCUTTA HE Company's Steamship "IMPERA. TRICE." Commandant MACAIRE. will leave this Port for the above places. with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and OARGO, shortly after arrival of the

steamer " Dupleix " from Shanghae. Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in transit through Marseilles for the principal places of Europe. Cargo will be received on board until 4

M. of the 22nd Instant, Specie and Parcels until 5 P.M. of the 22nd Instant. Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency's Office.

For further 'particulars, apply at the Company's Office.

C. BERTRAND, Principal Agent Hongkong, August 3, 1868.



THROUGH U. S. MAIL LINE TO NEW YORK TEAMERS of this line will be despatched.as follows :--Great Republic, on or about Aug.

Great Republic, , Costa Rica will leave Shanghai on about same dains, connecting at. Yokohama

with above-named steamers. Passengers ticketed through to California, Mexico, Central and South America, the Atlantic States, and to England or France, both via New York and by lines from Panama and Aspinwall

Return tickets issued at a reduction of 10 % upon the whole amount for the roun

Connections are made at Panama with Steam Lines upon the West Coast of Centhe "Royal West India Mail Line," " West The whole of this Property to be sold India and Pacific Steam-ship Company," (Limited) and the "French Transatlantie Company." And, at New York, with the various lines to Europe. Tickets issued for the following Steam-ship Lines: Cunard, Inman, National, General Transatlantic Co., New York and Havro Steamship Co., Hamburg and American Packet Co., New York and Bremen Steam-ship Co., and North German Lloyds.

Favorable arrangements have been made for through passengers and freight to America, from Calcutta, Penang and Singapore, and, from Swatow, Amoy and Foodlow. Through Bills of Lading given for Ports of Mexico and on the West Coast of Central and South America to as far as Valparaiso, to New York, Liverpool, Southampton

and St. Nazaire, France, Freight to United States payable in advance in Mexican Dollars, or on delivery in American Gold Coin with 8 per cent ad- Register. ditional, at shipper's option. For further information, apply at the

Agency of the Company, Praya West. GEO. F. BOWMAN, Agent. Hongkong, July 15, 1868.

Shipping.

of 1659 tons Register, expected on or about the 8th despatch for the above Ports. For Freight and passage, apply to DAVID SASSOON, SON & Co.

Agents B. I. S. N. Co. Hongkong, August 4, 1868.

For Freight or Passane, apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, August 7, 1868.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAM SHIP COMPANY, The Steam-ship

at 3 P.M. day of sailing. GEO. F. BOWMAN,

Shipping.

FOR YOKOHAMA The A 1 British barque

For Freight or Passage, apply to REYNVAAN, BROTHERS & Co. Hongkong, August 5, 1868.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The American ship "MARY GOODELL," SWEETSER Master, will load

for the above port and have

FOR NEW YORK The A I American brig "NELLIE HASTINGS." 460 Tons Register, HALL Master, baving a portion of her

For Freight, apply to OLYPHANT & Co. Hongkong, July 27, 1868.

The A 1 British brig "ELLA GLADSTONE." For Freight, apply to AUSSELL & Co.

Hongkong, July 21, 1868. FUR SAN FRANCISCO. The American Clipper Ship.

FOR MELBOURNE & SYDNEY. The British Clipper Barque "CATSINGMOUN,"

466 Tons Register, WATERSON,

Master, will have early despatch for the above Ports.

For Freight, apply to OLYPHANT & Co.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The A 1 Amer. Olipper-ship "RICHARD S. ELY," J.100 tons Register, Lombard Master, will have quick despatch as above.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BOSMAN & Co. Hongkong, July 2, 1868.

"PEKIN," SEYMOUR, Master, will have quick despatch as above. For Freight, apply to

FOR FREIGHT OR CHARTER. The A 1 British Ship " IRONSIDE."

Captain C. VAUX, R.N.R., 900 Tons Register.

TURNER & Co. Hongkong, July 24, 1868.

FOR FREIGHT OR CHARTER. The A 1 (for 9 years from 1867) British ship WEST DERBY,"
WILKINGON Master, of 821 tons

BIRLEY & Co.

Hongkong, July 31, 1868.

"BELLA" FROM LIVERPOOL. YONSIGNEES of Cargo by the abovenamed Vessel are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and take immediate delivery of their Goods,

Those, having the option of delivery at Whampon, are requested, to state at once instant from Calentia, will have immediate at which port they intend to receive their Cargo impeding the discharge of the

> MONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above named Vessel are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature and to take immediate delivery of their Goods.

risk and expense. GEO, F. BOWMAN,

Hongkong, August 4, 1868. BRITISH BARQUE "HAVELOCK" FROM LONDON.

named Vessel are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned No Freight received after Noon of the for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods. Cargo impeding the discharge of the ves-sel will be landed and stored at Consignees'

Intended, Despatch. Early Immediate Repairing

MENT, at Messrs T. Hant & Co.,

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Inder Despateh.

New Advertisements.

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For Singapore, Penang and Calcutta .-

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F. S. HUFFAM, Official Assignee.

of all the great Artistes to make THIS EVENING'S ENTERTAINMENT

GRANDEST YET GIVEN. In addition to the other novelties there will be a

Aug. 9, Havelah, British barque, 471, Robiuson, Shields, April 12, 734 tons Coal. 'Also on this festive occasion Mr. J. B. HOLLAND, Aug. 10, Condor, N. G. barque, 374, THE CELEBRATED CLOWN AND JESTER, Hamburg, April 10, General.-

equestrian act in male attire Race Horse, for Ningpo.

10, Douglas, for Shanghai. Passenger.

, Sir J. Jeejeebhoy, for Swatow.

ARRIVED:—Per Agatha Johanna, Messri Spiedel, Rosset and 27 Chinese. Per Villa de Vivadavia, Mesers Valero Arpal, and João Madero. ARRIVED. - Per str. Yesso, Messrs Mann, Goddard, Parkbill, Middleton and Mrs

Marr, 8 European deck and 100 Chinese. Shipping Reports.

The North German barque Condor, from Hamburg, reports: Crossed the Equator on 13th May, in Long. 28.30 W. ; passed the meridian of the Cape of Good Hope on 14th June, in Lat. 43,30 S.; made Java Head on 22nd July, passed Anjer on 24th July; in Chipa Sea had bad weather and strong gale from N.N.E. round to S.S.E. and S.W with heavy sea, which lasted for 4 days, then moderate and fine weather till arriva

German barque Norma, from Hamburg bound to this port. The Spanish brig Villa de Rivadavia, from Manila, reports the first part of passage fine weather and light winds till 3rd Aug. when had bad weather, wind from N. N. W. round to E. N. E., blowing a very heavy gale with a heavy cross sea, which laste t till 6th Aug., when had moderate and fine

in Hongkong on 10th August, 124 days out.

On 13th May, on Equator, spoke the North

weather till arrival. The North German barque Agatha Johanna, from Saigon, reports on leaving Cape St. James fine weather till 4th Aug. then bad weather and strong gales from 8.8. W. and heavy cross sea, which lasted for 2 days, then moderate and fine weather

The S. S. Yessi, from East Coast, reports

till arrival.

having left Foochow 5th inst., Amoy 6th, and Swatow 8th, had fine weather throughout the passage. S. S. Undine at Amoy, when the Yesso left. The Brit. barque Harelah, from Shields, reports : crossed the Equator on 22d May, ed with the Coast of China, the Bay of in lat. 28 W.; passed the Meridian of the Bengal, and the Eastern seas generally for Cape of Good Hope on 22nd June, in lat. the last 12 years. Apply to Mr Braga or 39.30 S.; made St. Paul's Island on 6th | to Dr. Freeland, Dispensary, 118, Queen's July and Java Head on 22nd July ; passed Road. Anjer on 23rd July, and in Java sea had light variable weather and winds till lat 2 N.; thence to Macclesfield Bank, moder-

8.E. to E.N.E. until arrival in Hongkong on 9th August, 118 days out. The North German barkantine Schulze Delitsch, from Bangkok, reports had bad weather and strong gales from E.S.E. S.E. and heavy cross sea, which lasted for 2 days, then moderate weather until arrival

ate breeze from W. to S. W. and S., thence

had variable weather and winds, and heavy

sea from N.E. and much rain until August

7th, when had fine weather, winds from

Per Lightning, at 2 P. M., on Saturday, the

Per Glengyle, on Saturday, the 15th inst.; the Creditors at the said Meeting will, in Office Furniture. For Singapore, Penang and Calcutta. - | whether any and what part of the nett pro- vate Contract, it will be put up to Auc-

> future contingencies, shall be divided Proofs of Debts will be received, and Shanghai. Specimens of the Type can Creditors who have not proved, or who be seen, and further particulars obtained shall not then prove, will be excluded from

HONGKONG & WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED. THE Transfer Books of the Company wil be closed from the 5th to the 25th day By Order of the Directors, JOHN S. LAPRAIK,

Aew Advertisements

Hongkong, August 5, 1868,

GREAT AND EXCITING PIG CHASE GRAND & LAUGHABLE SACK RACE.

has kindly volunteered, and will make his first appearance in the arena in Hongkong. Ou this Gala Evening ELLA ZOYARA will by request, give a grand and inimitable

Puices of Admission. First Class. Second Class. Third Class,. Children half-price, Performance to commence at 9 o'clock

Hongkong, August 10, 1868.

precisély.

AUSTRALIAN DRAMATIC AND BUR LESQUE TROUPE Thursday Evening,

C'RAND FASHIONABLE NIGHT.

LUSITANO THEATRE

BENEFIT OF MRS. W. T. AIREY on which occasion will be given two New THE MARRIED RAKE A CONJUGAL LESSON.

-Sec Programme. Hongkong, August 10, 1868. FOR FREIGHT OF CHARTER. The American ship "GAMILLA," of about 1,500 Tona of 40 feet capacity 3/3 11 at Ventas, is open for a voyage to New York or Boston either from Whampon,

Foochow or Manila.

AUGUSTINE HEARD & Oo., Hongkong, August 10, 1868. PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT. GENERAL AVERAGE ADJUSTER SURVEYOR OF DAMAGED GOODS. Office, CHAMBER OF COMMERCE,

For further particulars, apply to

Medical Hall, Queen's Road. Hongkong, 25th July, 1868. R. WHITE & Co. AUCTIONEERS & COMMISSION AGENTS. No. 93, Praya Grande,

Macro, July 21, 1868. WANTED. Situation as Ship MASPER, by an experienced Captain, possessing 1st class Certificate from the Liverpool Board, dated 17th May 1854, and well acquaint-

Hongkong, August 7, 1868. IN THE SUPREME COURT HONGKONG IN BANKRUPTCY NIOTICE is hereby given that a Meeting of the Creditors of Pang wah Ping, Travier, will be held, pursuant to the 151st Section of the Bankruptcy Ordinance, 1864, in the Supreme Court House, on Thursday, the 13th day of August, 1868, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, before the Honorable William Hastings Alexander, Esquire, Registrar of the said Court being the Officer

appointed by the said Court sitting in At the said Meeting the Official Assignee the said Ordinance, submit a Statement of the Bankrupt's Estate recovered and outstanding, and of all receipts and all payments made or to be made thereout, and pursuance of the said Section, declare duce of the Estate of the said Bankrupt, tion on the after making a reasonable deduction for

the benefit of the dividend, and all claims net proved will be disallowed.

to furnish Daily Supplies of Soft BREAD XTRAORDINARY & AFTRACTIVE

> Also Corn and Rye MEAL, HOMINY, ratus and Cream TARTAR.

prompt attention.

the 11th August, 1868, at Noon, at there Sales Rooms, Queen's Road,-

and a variety of other Goods.

by Public Auction, on the 17th August, 1866, at 2 P.M., in their

A complete copy of the British Esperfect edition of the British Poets

Being the property of a Gentleman Catalogues will be issued shortly, after which the Books may be sold by private

FOR SALE THE Undersigned have received inwill, in pursuance of the lolat Section of of compelled to give up business on account of ill health) to sell the Copyright is the "FRIEND OF CHINA," along balance. with the Printing Establishment and

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FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CALCUTTA The B. I. S. N. Co.'s S. S.

FOR S'PORE, PENANG & C'CUTTA The British Steamer "LIGHTNING," "LIGHTNING,"
Captain RODGER, will be des patched for the above ports on Saturday, the 15th instant, at 2 P.M. Despatches will close at 1 P.M.

"GREAT REPUBLIC,"
Captain S. Doane, will sail from Hongkong for Yokohama and San Francisco, on the 15th instant, at 4 P.M. precisely. 14th instant. Passengers are requested to be on board

Hongkong, August 4, 1868,

will be despatched for the above port, on or before the 14th in-

For Freight, apply to AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. Hongkong, July 29, 1868.

cargo engaged, will load here and at Whampoa for the above port, and have quick dis-

FOR MELBOURNE. Captain Wolfs, will have quick

784 Tons Register, C. H. BAR. RETT, Master, will have early despatch for the above Port. For Freight or Passage, apply to Hongkong, July 8, 1868.

Hongkong, July 8, 1868.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The A 1 American barque

OLYPHANT & Co. Hongkong, June 9, 1868.

Natices to Consignees.

Vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense by JARDINE MATHESON & Co. Hongkong, August 8, 1868. P. M. S. S. Co.'s STEAMER "GREAT REPUBLIC." FROM SAN FRANCISCO.

Cargo impeding the discharge of the ves-sel will be landed and stored at Consiguees'

CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above-

risk and expense, JOHN BURD & Co. Hongkong, August 3, 1868,

Notices to Consignees. HE following cases have been landed

and stored at the risk and expense of the Consignees, who are requested to take Immediate delivery, Ex " Donnai," 7th January, 1868. 1 Case Paper.

Ex " Donnai," 8th June. 3 cases Sweetmeats NC 120./122 Ex " Imperatrice" 1st August. 1 bale B'falo Horns C. BERTRAND, Principal Agent.

Hongkong, August 3, 1868.

" WEST DERBY," FROM CALCUTTA. ONSIGNEES of cargo by the above Ship are requested to send in their Bills-of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature at once, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods.

Cargo impeding the discharge and for which Boats are not alongside within a reasonable time, say twelve working hours, will be landed and stored in Messrs Dent & Co.'s Godown B, at the risk and expense of the Consignees of such Goods. BIRLEY & Co.

Hongkong, July 31, 1868.

#### Notices of Firms.

NOTICE. MR. WILLIAM F. RUSSELL is authorized to sign our Firm from this date. THOS. HUNT & Co. Hongkong, August 6, 1868.

NOTICE. THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr. CALEB T. SMITH in our Firm, ceased, by his retirement, on 31st December, 1867. SMITH, ARCHER & Co. Hongkong, July 1, 1868,

NOTICE. MHE Interest and Responsibility of Mr FRANCIS PARRY and Mr THOMAS SMITH in our Firm ceased on 31st December, 1867, from which date the Partners are Mr Charles Wilson Murray, Mr Arthur SMITH and Mr THOMAS PYKE.

BIRLEY & Co. Hongkong, June 16, 1868. NOTICE.

TITE have authorized Mr CLAUS BUDDE to sign our Firm from this date. DREYER & Co. Hongkong, January 1, 1868.

MURRAY FORBES is authorized to sign our name at Canton from RUSSELL & Co.

China, February 15, 1868.

NOTICE THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr. I FERDINAND NISSEN in our Firm ceased on the 30th April last. The Business will in future be conducted

under the Style and Firm of ROBERTSON & Co. in which Mr PETER GABAIN has been admitted a Partner. NISSEN & ROBERTSON. Ningpo, May 9, 1868.

MR. HENRY LISTON DALRYMPLE is authorised to sign our Firm per procuration, at Foochow from this date. BIRLEY & Co.

Hongkong, June 3, 1868.

AY Business, as Ship and Insurance IVI Broker. Commission Agent, &c. hitherto carried on by myself, will henceforward be conducted under the style or Firm of J. S. Hook, Son & Co. J. S. HOOK.

Hongkong, September 23, 1867.

HAVE established myself at this port as General Commission Merchant, under he Style and Firm of GIFFORD F. PARKER GIFFORD FORBES PARKER. Saigon, December 20, 1867.

NOTICE. AR FERDINAND NISSEN and Mr HEINEIGE Hoppics have been authorized to sign our Firm here and in China from this date. SIEMSSEN & Co. Hongkong, May 12, 1868.

NOTICE. ARRYLE HOLME has been admitted a partner in our Firm. GLOVER & Co. Nagasaki, January 1, 1867.

HE connection of the Undersigned with

the Firm of Messrs Thos. Hunr & Co. ceases from this date. J. M. ARMSTRONG. Hongkong, May 1, 1868.

HAVE this day established myself as a PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT, AVELAGE AD-JUSTER and GENERAL COMMISSION AGENT. C LANGDON DAVIES. 2 Club Chambers,

Hongkong, July 1, 1868. THE Interest and Kesponsibility of Mr ELDRED HALTON in our Firm ceased on the 30th June last, and Mr James Pen-DER DUNCANSON was admitted a Partner

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, January 11, 1866. 1-a-w AR. R. A. H. TOLLIUS GLUZENBAMP. being from this date interested in our

on the 1st July.

Firm, will sign the same per procuration. REYNVAAN BROTHERS & Co. Hongkong, June 1, 1868. NOTICE.

AR. GEORGE CRICHTON is authorised to VI sign for us by procuration. THE BORNEO CO. LIMITED. Hongkong, July 15, 1868.

NOTICE TROM and after this date Mr Gronge F. BOWMAN will act as AGENT of the Paolic Mail Steam-ship Company at this 1 S. L. PHELPS,

#### Notices of Firms.

NOTICE. ROM and after this date, Captain J. C. SAUNDARS will undertake the Business of my Marine Surveying at this port. H. J. DRING.

Marine Surveyor, Foodlow, August 1, 1867. NOTICE.

AVITH reference to the above, the husiness hitherto carried on by H. J. DRING, Esq. at Foochow will be conducted by the Undersigned. J. C. SAUNDERS,

Chop Min, Pagoda Anchorage.

# Steam Tugs.

Foochow, August 1, 1867.

NOTICE. HESTEAM TUG ISLAND QUEEN, 130 H. P. Nominal, will commence to ply on the River Min and adjacent waters early in the spring, and will then be available to berth ships at the anchorage, and to tow to, and from, sea at usual rates. For further information, apply to Messrs E. H. How & Co., Foochow, or to the Un-

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., Hongkong, February 10, 1868.

NOTICE.

sept6 HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED. STEAM-TUG "FAME," 110 H. P. NOMINAL. With disconnecting Engines.

> HIS Powerful TUG is available at any moment to Berth Vessels in Harbour, r Tow them to or from Sea. For particulars, apply to the Captain on board, or to the Office of the Company, d'Aquilar Street, Hongkong.

Hongkong, October 13, 1866.

## Houses and Lands.

IVE separate ROOMS, or the whole the second Floor of our House at Peddar's Wharf, comprising Eleven Bed Rooms with Parlor, Dining Room, Pantry Bath Rooms and Cook Houses THOS. HUNT & Co. Hongkong, August 3, 1868.

1. HE OFFICES situated in Queen's Road, formerly occupied by Messrs LYALL

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. East Point, June 15, 1868.

LIGHTERAGE AND STORAGE. HE Undersigned will undertake to land Cotton, Rice, Coals, and other Merhandise, in their own Boats, and to receive the same on STORAGE in First-class Granite godowns, on Moderate Terms. ROB. S. WALKER & Co. Hongkong, March 4, 1866.

TO LET. THE OFFICE and GODOWN situated at the corner of Wellington and Aberdeen Streets, and at present in the occupation of Messis Elmenhorst & Sandbes.

For particulars, apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, March 6, 1865.

4 Morrison Hill, commanding a thorough view of the Harbour, with Stables, &c. THOMAS WALLACE,

COMMODIOUS HOUSES, situated

East Point Godowns. Hongkong, June 6, 1868.

NOTICE.

TO LET. HE desirable PREMISES on the Queen's Road, lately in the occupation of the

Asiatic Bank. For particulars, apply to SMITH, ARCHER & Co.

Hongkong, May 18, 1868. TWO HOUSES TO BE LET DECENTLY put in thorough Repair, sithated on the Rise of the Hill Westward, and an onsy distance from the

Queen's Road. Apply to MR. BARRINGTON Wundham Street. Hongkong, May 13, 1868.

MRST Rate ROOMS for Offices or Dwelling HOUSE for Families in the Queen's Road, No. 92, with new Verandah. The whole in a thorough state of repair.

Messrs WM, SCHMIDT & Co., Gunmakers. Hongkong, May 20, 1868.

THE Large Matched No. 3, at Pokefulum containing five rooms with out-house and Stables attached. Water laid. For particulars, apply to

H. PESTONJEE SETNA Messis P. A. C. CAMAJEE & Co.'s Office Hongkong, June 2, 1868.

THE BUSINESS PREMISES, former occupied by Messis Arnhold, KA BERG & to., consisting of Dwelling House Offices, and spacious Godowns. Possession to be had on the 1st March

JOHN BURD & Co. Hongkoug, February 22, 1868.

TO LET. LOUR Large ROOMS on Second Floor above the Offices of the Undersigned. 44, Queen's Road, at present occupied by Messrs C. Hoon & Co. Possession can be taken on the 1st of January, 1868. For Terms, &c., apply to

G. DUHOST & Co. Hongkong, November 6, 1867.

TO BE LET. 15WO New and Strong GODOWNS on Marine Lot No. 63. Apply to

GAVIN THOMPSON. at Gibb, Livin iston & Co.'s. Hongkong, Documber 16, 1867.

## Houses and Lands.

TO LET. HOUSE in Spring Gardens, containing four Rooms and Out Houses; Rent \$28 per month. Apply at the Victoria Foundry.

Hongkong, March 12, 1868. STORAGE FOR OPIUM. HE Undersigned is prepared to STOR Opium in a first class Granite Godown on premises situated on Prava Central. CHARLES RIVINGTON.

3, Stonley Street. Hongkong, June 9, 1868.

For Sale.

FOR SALE, AT THE CHINA SUGAR REFINERY, EAST POINT. QUGAR of the Finest Crystals, equal if not superior to the English Loaf, ranging from Nos. 1 a 6. Also GOLDEN SYRUP, double refined, in quantities to suit purchasers. WAHEE & Co. CHINA SUGAR REFINERY,

FOR SALE. UFF GORDON & Co.'s PAL SHERRY, of Superior quality, in 1

East Point, 5th August, 1868.

RAY & Co. Hongkong, August 5, 1868.

JUST RECEIVED. Ex "Great Republic." NDERSON'S Solace TOBACCO. Amber MOUTHPIECES. Cherrywood STEMS. CIGARHOLDERS.

Ex "Salve." Superior Cavite CIGARS. BIELFELD & ZACHARIÆ Hongkong, August 4, 1868.

FOR SALE. HE Public House called the CITY OF ROTTERDAM, No. 190, with Stockin-Trade, Furniture, and everything be-For full particulars, apply on the pre-

Hongkong, August 3, 1868. FOR SALE A Tons best Picked Keelung COAL. JUU Just arrived per "Stag."

REYNVAAN BROTHERS & Co. Hongkong, August 8, 1868. FOR SALE. DRINTING PAPER.

HESSE & Co. Hongkong, June 19, 1868. FOR SALE.

DEST Keelang COAL. D Apply to LANDSTEIN & Co. Hongkong, June 15, 1868.

JUST LANDED. And for sale by the undersioned UPERIOR American TOBACCO in 24

Superior Golden Leaf TOBACCO 1 lbs. in 20 lbs, cases. 50 Cases Bancroft's American CIDER DE SILVER & Co. Hongkong, July 30, 1868.

#### New Advertisements.

DOWRA & Co. will sell by Public Auction, To-morrow, TUESDAY.

11th August, 1868, at 10 A.M., on the

premises "Hotel Des Colonies." 88-190, Queen's Road West, (Under a distraint for rent.) The whole of the STOCK-IN-TRADE

and HOUSEHOLD FURNITUR funless this execution be previously atisfied.) TERMS OF SALE —Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7 Hongkong, August 10, 1868.

OWRA & Co. will sell by Public Auction, on

MONDAY 7th August, 1868, at Noon, by order and at the residence of DORABJEE Now-ROJEE, Esq., Robinson Road and Mosque UNCTION .-

The whole of his Elegant HOUSE HOLD FURNITURE, mostly of English Manufacture,-Glassware, Electro Plate, Engravings, Marble Top Side boards, Cheffoniers, Side Tables, Pier Glasses, in richly gilt frames, One Splen did large size English Billiard Table One French Billiard Table. Handsome Japanese and other Vases and Ornaments

de, de, de. A Splendid Grey Arab Horse. A Fast-trofting Cream Color'd Pony Waggonettes, Buggies, Basket Car riages, Saddlery, &c., &c.

TERMS OF SALE,—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1. All lots with all faults and errors of de scription whatever at purchaser's risk onfall of the hammer. Hongkong, August 10, 1868.

## HOTEL d'EUROPE.

PHE Undersigned, Proprietor of the newly re-opened HOTEL D'EUROPE begs to inform the Public that they will fine every accommodation at the above Hotel at he most reasonable charges. Breakfast every morning at 11,30 A.M. and Dinner at 7.30 P.M.

BREAKFASTS and DINNERS supplied | A large Stock of French Printed MUSLINS at Private Residences on reasonable terms. ICE, &c., always on hand. CHAS. FANNEGE

Hongkong, August 6, 1868. FRICKEL & Co. SHIP-CHANDLERS, SAILMAKERS, GENERAL STOREKEEPERS

Coumission Agents.

Queen's Road, HONGKONG. STRAYED OR STOLEN. Dun-coloured Greyhound BITCH with black leather collar; anybody detaining the same will be prosecuted. Hongkong, August 1, 1808,

## New Advertisements.

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

JOTICE is hereby given that the Ordipary Half-yearly Meeting of the SHAREHOLDERS in this CORPORATION will be held at the Head Office of the BANK, Hougkong, on Thursday, the Thirteent day of August proxime, at Three o'clock P.M., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Court of Directors, together with a statement of Accounts, to 30th

By order of the Court of Directors. VICTOR KRESSER Chief Manager. Hongkong, July 25, 1868.

HONGKONG & WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED. HE Ordinary Yearly Meeting of the Shareholders in the above Company will be held in the Club Chambers at 3 P.M. on TUESDAY, the 25th day of August, (when a statement of Accounts and the Report of the Directors will be laid before the Meeting) for the purpose of electing Directors in the place of those who retire in accordance with the provision of the Arti- General & Commission Agents cles of Association, and the election of Auditors.

By Order of the Directors. JOHN S. BAPRAIK, Secretary.

Hongkong, August 5, 1868. MANTED, by an experienced MAN, at ongagement for Mercantile Duties in any Department. Address "A.B.," care

of China Mail Office. Hongkong, August 5, 1868. ALLGEMEINE VERSICHERUNGS GESELLSCHAFT FÜR SEE-FLUSS UND LAND TRANSPORT

IN DRESDEN.

HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents of the above Iusurance Company are prepared to grant Policies against

WM. PUSTAU & Co.

Hongkong, July 21, 1868. NOTICE TO SUBSCRIBERS. MESSRS FLOYD & Co. beg most res-VI pectfully, to inform their subscribers, that the series of Views of Hongkong, etc. etc., published by them, will be ready for selection on Saturday next. In consequence of the great demand for these magnificent views, orders will be exe-

cuted in order as subscribed. Hongkong, July 22, 1868.

HONGKONG, CANTON & MACAO STEAM-BUAT COMPANY, LIMITED.

vearly MEETING of the Shareholders on | winds and calms until lat. 10 N., long. the 11th instant, will be paid at the office E., N.E. trade on 1st August in lat. 17 N. of the General Agents on and after Thurs- long, 130 E.; strong gale from E.N.E. to day, the 16th instant.

By order of the Board of Directors, AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. General Agents.

Hongkong, July 14, 1868. W. SALWAY ARCHITECT, &c., Hongkony Hotel.

PHOTOGRAPHIC VIEWS OF HONG KONG, &c., &c. A ESSRS FLOYD & Co., are now pub. Aug. 4, Mary, from Hongkong, Rice. lishing a series of Views of Hongkong, Macao, Canton, Amow, Swatow and Foochow, in two parts. These Photographs are produced by new Optical Instruments, by the best Opticians of the day, and include an angle of 100 degrees, or three times the amount of subject of the ordinary lenses now in use in the East, hence the unueces sary joining to make a complete picture. We intend to reduce the price to about 50

nanal selling prices. Gentlemen wishing to anhscribe will please call at our Establishment, where the Photographs can be inspected and further particulars ascertained. Hongkong, 21st May, 1868.

per cent. (to Subscribers only) from our

SAYLE & Co. VICTORIA EXCHANGE: NVITE inspection of their New and well assorted summer Stock of Black and Blue Broad CLOTHS

Naval and Military CLOTHS. Light Mixt and Fancy TWEEDS.

Self and Fancy Colored FLANNELS. Plain and Fancy DRILLS, DUCKS, &c.

Quilting and Marseilla VESTINGS, The Tailoring Department under the management of first class English Cutters. TIES and SCARFS in great variety.

The new Shapes in Goutlemen's COLLARS. Long Cloth, Sill and Wool SHIRTS

PAJAMAS. Gauze, Merino and Silk UNDERVESTS. HOSIERY of all kinds.

Gentlemen's Straw and Felt HATS in · Various Shapes,

of the Latest Patterns. French Printed CAMBRICS, Black GLACES, Plain and Fancy SIR GAUZES.

Grenadines and other New Fabrics Embroidered, Printed and Made-up SKIRTS. CRINOLINES, Muslin EMBROIDERIES and LACE of all descriptions. Ladies' Trimmed HATS and BONNETS. FLOWERS, FEATHERS, &c. Ladies' and Childrens' UNDER-

CLOTHING. Ladies' Cotton and Lisle HOSIERY. LISLE and Silk GLOVES, &c. Lace and Muslin CURTAINS. Honghong, April 27, 1869.

# New Advertisements.

NOTICE. THE OFFICE of the Undersigned has been Agra Bank, Queen's Road. LANDSTEIN & Co.

Hongkong, June 30, 1868.

NOTICE. THE Undersigned have been appointed Agents at Hongkong, Canton and Macao for the UNION OF HAMBURG UNDERWRITERS, and beg to draw attention to \$65-68 and \$127-141 of the communications relating to the general busi-

be certified by the Agents, or they will not avoided. e recognized. SIEMSSEN & Co. Hongkong, June 16, 1868.

HOBSUN & Co., DUBLIC AUCTIONEERS, SHIPPING AND GENERAL BROKERS COMMISSION MERCHANTS; KOBE, HIUGO, JAPAN.

MALL & ROLLE. NAGASAKI.

From the Canton Unstoms Daily Returns Per. F. Wilhelm, cleared for Tientsin :-1379 bags Brown Sugar. 390 bags White Sugar. 200 cases Sugar Candy. 660 cases Tobacco. 85 cases Sundries, Per Mary, loading for Buenos Ayres 20 cases Cassia. 1400 rolls Matting.

625 bales Rattan Ware. 139 cases Crape Shawls. 105 packages Bamboo Ware. 67 cases, Silk, Sashes and Piece 20 cases Camphor-wood Trunks. 6 cases Preserves.

#### LATEST SHIPPING.

85 packages Sundries.

ARRIVALS. Aug. 9, Anita, British ship, 654, Turear Newcastle, N.S. W., June 5, 967 tons Coa -A. HEARD & Co. Aug. 10, Morning Star, Siamete barque, 440, Scott, Baugkok, July 18, General,-

Shooting Star, for Ningpo. Geologist, for Bangkok. Mindora, for Bangkok. Comet, for Chefoo. Ichanna Mathilde, for Sugon, Kalahome, for Amoy. Conder, for Fooehow.

Kim Yung Tye, for Tientsin.

SHIPPING REPORTS The British ship Anita, from Newcastle, HE Dividend at the rate of \$4.50 per | N.S.W., reports on leaving the port had Share, declared at the Ordinary Half- cloudy weather and much rain, then light E., lasting until 5th inst.; thou moderate and fine weather and light winds till arrival in Hongkong. On 29th June, in lat. 7 S., long. 168 E, spoke British ship John Nicholson, from Newcastle, N.S. W., bound to Shanghai, 17 days out; and on oth July, in lat. 0.42 S., long. 168.12 E., spoke the

WHAMPOA SHIPPING.

5. Pacific. Paquica, Guano. 8, Suwonada, Shanghai, General,

Aug. 7, F. Wilhelm, for Tientain, Sugar, POST-OFFICE NOTIFICATIONS MAILS WILL CLUSE :-For MANILA.— Per "LEEN FA," To-morrow, the 11th

instant, at 4 P.M. For S'PORE, PENANG & C'CUTTA.— Per "GLENGYLE," on Saturday, the löth instant, at 1 P.M. For SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CAL CUTTA.

Per "LIGHTNING," on Saturday, the 15th Inst., at 1 P.M. UNDER DESPATCH. For Manila. - Per Leen Fu, To-morrow,

# the 11th instant, at 5 P.M.

QUOTATIONS Hongkong, 10th August, 1868. OPIUM.—Patna, New, ... Benares, New. Molwa. CUTTON .- BOMBAY.

CALOUTTA, ....

Exchange.

Bank, 6 months' sight, On Calcutta, 3 days' sight, Rs. 226 Bombay, 3 days' sight, Rs. 225 Shanghae, 3 days' sight Bank, Tis. 73 Bar Silver, 17 dwts. B., 91 Gold Bar, 98 touch, English Sovereigns, Australian Sovereigns. Old, 12 per cent pm. H. & W.poa dock, New, 6 per cent pm. H. & S. Bank Shares, Old, 28 per c. pm. New, 5 p. c. pm.

Temperature. .. HONGKONG, 10th August, 1868. 9 A.M. 3 P.M. Barometer, ... 20.860 29.784

Union Dock Shares, ... 17 p. c. dist.

Attached Thermometer, Dry Bulb, ... 85.0 ... 80.0. Maximum S. Rgr., Minimum S. Rgr., ... 79.0 Max. Sun's Rays, ... -Minimum on Grace, ... 75.0 Previous | Rainon Grov., 0.00 24 hours. | ,, above, ... 0.00

TO CORRESPONDENTS. Our columns are open to all who wish to address the public on legitimate grounds, but Removed to the late premises of the we do not hold ourselves responsible for the opinions of our correspondents. :

All communications addressed to this paper must be accompanied by the name of the sender, not necessarily for publication, but as a quarantee of good faith.

Notice. - It is particularly requested that all "Allgemeine See Versicherungs Bedingungen von 1867," according to which all Proprietor and in no case to individuals by documents to substantiate claims against name. Much delay and inconvenience in the Union of Hamburg Underwriters must the transaction of business will thereby be

> At Hongkong, on the 8th Instant, the wife of Victor Kresser, Esq., of a daughter.

# THE CHINA MAIL.

HONGKONG, MONDAY, AUGUST 10, 1868.

AN APOLOGY. THE China Mail owes Senhor Horta an Apology. In its report of his recent evidence, it accidentally omitted a portion which has a somewhat direct bearing on one important fact in the action. Regina v. Saint. That omission it will presently proceed to supply; but a little matter of detail is necessary in order that the public may appreciate the nature of our fault, and that must be prefaced by an explanation which is forced upon us by the extraordinary character of the proceedings that have been instituted

against the defendant. Some folks of tender but uneven con sciences may blame us for making these libel actions the subject of discussion in our columns. Under ordinary circumstances their objection would be good. For instance, in the private action which the Rev. Mr Lobscheid instituted against the China Mail in 1866, for alleged libel on him in his capacity as coolie agent, it would have been highly improper on our part to have referred to the case as parties thereto, for the public had only an indirect interest in it, inasmuch as

the matter was between individuals. But it is quite a different affair in Regina v. Saint. Her Majesty, and therefore all her subjects, are the prosecutors, on behalf of another Monarch and all his subjects. It is avowed by the prosecution that no private injury has been done by the alleged libels; that the damage, if any, affects only collective reputation and character: that the funds for defraying the costs of the prosecution come out of a public exchequer; and that in all respects the China Mail is pursued for alleged public, and not for private, libels. For all of which reasons the defendant, fighting at long odds, claims the liberty of descanting as freely as he chooses on the case as it is disclosed against him, and hence he is induced to approach Senhor Horta with an Apology. And now for the little matter of detail which will lead to a better understanding of the nature of the Apology.

The prisoners charged at Macao with complicity in the Annamite piracy and murder case were found guilty, but the verdict appears to have been appealed against, and (under the Portuguese law) a request made to the home government for the appointment of a judge substitute to re-hear the case. Senhor Horta swore that the prisoners did not apply for a judge substitute, but Senhor Horta did, as the following official document testifies: and that he did so showed great consideration on behalf of the accused, who had been found guilty:--

> Translation. NAVAL AND COLONIAL OFFICE. 2nd Direction-2nd Department.

Before His Majesty the King has been haid the despatch of the governor of the Province of Macao and Timor No. 150 of 9th September of the year last past, in which not only is given the reason which moved him (the governor) to enforce suew the observance of the Ordinance (Portaria) of 31 December 1861, which gave to the ordinary justices\* the character of deputyjudges, when on account of any impediment neither the Chief Justice or his deputy can act, but likewise proposes that a bachelor of laws be sent to Macao and there perform the functions of deputy judge, and deputy Procurador; + and whereas no step can be taken in respect to this proposal (or sugestion) seeing that the opinion of the Colonial Council, which has been commanded to take it into consideration, bus not yet been made known; while, at the anne time, the provisious of the Ordinance of 31st December, 1861, cannot be enforced, the said Ordinance having been repealed by the Decree I of 1st December 1866; it is of the utmost importance to provide for a deputy-judge for Macao, with all possible despotch, in order that the administration of justice in that city may suffer no detriment. His Majesty, through the Naval and Colonial Iffice, commands the said governor to appoint immediately to the said office of deputyjudge the individual best qualified out of the five whose names the respective Chief Justice is to present to him (the governor), while His Majesty expects that the individual chosen will not fail to accept the nomination, thus complying with the mandate of the law, and devoir of a good citizen avoiding the penalty imposed by the Penal Code & Palace, 18th January 1808

\* Juizes Ordinarios .- There : to two such who are members of the Macao Senate or Municipal Council, yearly elected. + Procurador dos Negocios Sinicos.—Chinese Magistrate—formerly also a member of the Senate but since lat January 1866 of Government appointment. 1 Decreto. - Kind of Order in Council, also the King's sauct on of a law passed by Parliament. The Portuguese Penal or Cr minal Code gives or imposes no penalty for refusing to accept a government employment, which that of a Chief Justice or deputy judge evidently is t no citizent however, can decline, when elected to serve the Municipality as member of that body.

-JOSE RODRIGUES COELHO DO AMARAL.

No. 1617 -August 10, 1868 There can be no mistaking the tenour of this document. It is not alleged that ar undue interval elapsed between the data of its signature, 18th January, and its re ceipt by Senhor Horta, yet it was no published by him until the 6th June, no does he make the appointment of judg substitute until the 22nd of the same month. Now, all this time the Anna mite prisoners were awaiting the appoint ment, some (according to Senhor Horta in gaol, and others (which is most pro bable) walking the streets on bail, an this despite the strongest commands which Senhor Horta ought to have obey ed in March, of the home government which "commanded" Senhor Hort "inimediately" to appoint the judge sul stitute. It will be seen that Senho Horta disregarded these instructions, di not obey them until June 22nd, after th alleged libels had been printed and th informations thereon laid. This is translation of the appointment, as it an pears in the Boletim of June 22nd:-

The Governor of the Province of Maca and Timor orders the following :-In compliance with the provisions of art 58, chap. 6, of the Rules for the adminis tration of justice in the provinces of Mc zambique, State of India, Macao and Times approved by Decree of 1st December, 1860 having heard the Council of Government I hereby nominate the citizen Domingo Clemente Pacheco, who was proposed the first place, First Deputy Judge of this city; and the citizen Lourence Marqu Second Deputy Judge, during the biennia of 1868-1870; both of these citizens being chosen from the list of five which was pre sented to me, according to law, by the Chief Justice of the city of Macao. Let the proper authorities execute this

Macao, 22nd June, 1868. (S'd) José Maria da Ponte e Horta,

Governor of Macao and Timor.

Now, what was the reason that Senho Horta did not earlier obey the instruc tions contained in the despatch of Jan 18th ? A despatch received in the interval had been published; why was the on intended to expedite the Annamite p rates' trial suppressed or withheld? Was i from sympathy with the Annamite pri soners, or from sheer neglect of duty If the former, no libel can be too strong if the latter, the laches bears an equiva lent liability. But we must dismiss both suppositions, and adopt Senhor Horta's explanation that it was "want of com positors" in the Government printing of fice Macao which caused a three mouths postponement of the above notices! They may be put into type by any ordinary compositor in two hours, and as the two Boletims of the 6th and 27th of June, which contain them, have seven columns of unofficial matter of a very ordinary description, any part of which might conveniently have been omitted, it is difficult to reconcile Senhor Horta's statement with actual fact. However, we shall not speculate on the causes which occasioned the delay in the appointment of the judge substitute. Indeed, there is no room for speculation on the subject; so we content ourselves, for the present, by supplying the omission in Senhor Horta's evidence above alluded to, at the same time apologising for our accidental over sight of such a curious piece of testimony It will, no doubt, prove highly encourage ing to the learned Attorney General.

The following is the substance Senhor Horta's evidence, which was not contained in our report: The paragraph marked A in the Gazette of June 6th refers to the appointment of a Judge substitute in the Annamite case, and

he saw it was dated Lishon; January 18th but it might be on account of want of compositors that the notice did not appear in the Macao Guzette for such a long time He saw a despatch in the Mac to Guzette of May 18, dated Lisbon, March 28th, but he could not explain why the March despatel appeared in the Gazette before the one January 18th; it might be by order. orders from the Home Government were promptly obeyed. He was unable to re count for the fact that the Home order for the appointment of a Judge substitute in

Mail were filed. GAMMON!

the Annamite case, appeared in the Gaz

after the informations against the China

"THERE is nothing like leather," said the Currier, when fortifications were discussed, and "There is nothing his Gammion," say the San Francisco papers when dealing with Chinese subjects. The Bulletin rejoices in a New York corres pondent who fools his readers to the top of their bent, and is either a wag endued with preternatural gravity, or is a fit and proper person for admission into the firm of Gammon and Quirk. We have read good deal about the "Chinese Embassy in the American papers, and in genera have subsided, after the operation, into sort of melancholy wonder at the cre dulity which makes these accounts pay their writers. Some of the latest ex changes to hand so far exceed previou efforts, that they are likely to do positive harm by conveying ideas to the general public not only wide of but diametrically opposed to the truth. We cannot wonder If mistakes be made occasionally by prople totally unacquainted with the people and country upon which they write. Bu when they draw entirely on the imagina tion they are simply humbugs.

of the American public is the following at which we admit that the writer meg he as amused as we are at the "sell." he is perpetrating. The worst of it is that the American public swallow it all as bona fids. The Chinese went to a review of the 7th Regiment :-The troops appeared in a new uniform

One of the most delicious pieces of the

Gammon thus presented to the swallow

and were accompanied by a band numbering 100 instruments, beside a corps of for y frummers. They made a fine appearance

fired upon a British subject, who was convey-

ing provisions from Swatow to H.M's gun-

boat Bustard, then lying up the river some

distance. Of course such an outrage could

not be passed over, and an application was

therefore made to the Taotai of the province

to bring the offenders to justice. This

official after much consideration of the

he was compelled to admit his inability to

He therefore applied that H.M's Gunboat

Bustard would co-operate and assist the

freebooters. It was finally arranged that s

understood that she would do her share o

started for Choo-chi, to co-operate with

works again, there was a kind of network

of stout poles, lashed and nailed together

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sixteen men with the gun, could not assault

undisturbed possession of Ohoo chi.

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8th Instant, the Esq., of a daughter.

# MAIL.

UGUST 10, 1868.

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this document. It is not alleged that an undue interval elapsed between the date of its signature, 18th January, and its receipt by Senhor Horta, yet it was not published by him until the 6th June, nor does he make the appointment of judge substitute until the 22nd of the same month. Now, all this time the Annamite prisoners were awaiting the appoint ment, some (according to Senhor Horta) in gaol, and others (which is most prohable) walking the streets on bail, and this despite the strongest commands. our own. which Senhor Hortz ought to have obeyed in March, of the home government. which "commanded" Senhor Horta "immediately" to appoint the judge substitute. It will be seen that Senhor Horta disregarded these instructions, did alleged libels had been printed and the true, for-says he :informations thereon laid. This is a translation of the appointment, as it ap-

pears in the Boletim of June 22nd;-The Governor of the Province of Macao and Timor orders the following :--

In compliance with the provisions of art. 58, chap. 6, of the Rules for the administration of justice in the provinces of Mozambique, State of India, Macao and Timor. approved by Decree of Ist December, 1866, having heard the Council of Government. I hereby nominate the citizen Domingos Clamente Pacheco, who was proposed in the first place, First Deputy Judge of this Second Deputy Judge, during the biennial of 1868-1870; both of these citizens being chosen from the list of five which was preaccording to law, by the Chief Justice of the city of Macao. Let the proper authorities execute this

Macao, 22nd June, 1868. (S'd) José Maria da Ponte e Horta. Governor of Macao and Timor.

Now, what was the reason that Senhor Worth did not earlier obey the instructions contained in the despatch of Jan. 18th? A despatch received in the interval had been published: why was the one intended to expedite the Annamite pirates' trial suppressed or withheld? Was it from sympathy with the Annamite prisoners, or from sheer neglect of duty? if the latter, the lackes bears an equivalent liability. But we must dismiss both ampositions, and adopt Senhor Horta's explanation that it was "want of combositors" in the Government printing-offled of Macao which caused a three months' nostnonement of the above notices! They may be put into type by any ordinary compositor in two liours, and as the two Boletims of the 6th and 27th of June, which contain them, have seven columns of unofficial matter of a very ordinary description, any part of which might conveniently have it is difficult to reconcile Senhor Horta's statement with actual fact. However, we shall not speculate on the causes which occasioned the delay in the appointment of the judge substitute. Indeed, there is no room for speculation on the subject; so we content ourselves, for the present, by supplying the omission in Senhor Horta's evidence above alluded to at the same time apologising for our accidental oversight of such a curious piece of testimony It will, no doubt, prove highly encouraging to the learned Attorney General The following is the substance Senhor Horta's evidence, which was not

contained in our report :of June 6th refers to the appointment of a Judge substitute in the Aunamite case, and he saw it was dated Lisbon. Jamiary 18th. but it might be on account of want of compositors that the notice did not appear in the Macae Guzette for such a long time. He saw a despatch in the Mocdo Guzette of May 18, dated Lisbon, March 28th, but he could not explain why the March despatch appeared in the Gazette before the one of January 18th : it might be by order. Al orders from the Home Government were promptly obeyed. He was unable to account for the fact that the Home order for the appointment of a Judge substitute in after the informations against the China Mail were filed.

GAMMON! "THERE is nothing like leather," of their bent, and is either a wag endued his recent despatch. with preternatural gravity, or is a fit and proper person for admission into the firm of Gammon and Quirk. We have read a good deal about the "Chinese Embassy in the American papers, and in general have subsided, after the operation, into a sort of melancholy wonder at the credulity which makes these accounts pay their writers. Some of the latest exchanges to hand so far exceed previous efforts, that they are likely to do positive harm by conveying ideas to the general public not only wide of but diametrically. opposed to the truth. We cannot wonder mistakes be made occasionally by people totally unacquainted with the people

tion they are simply humbugs. of the American public is the following, at which we admit that the writer may be as amused as we are at the "sell" he is perpetrating. The worst of it is that bona fide. The Chinese went to a review of the 7th Regiment :-

where can be no mistaking the tenour of and their evolutions are said to have been where Republicanism and Common Schools in transit, or held in native stores by reason | deserves the thanks of the mercantile com- ers partly by driving a trade in perfumes, bearing and the promptness and wonderful accuracy of their movements, the regiment emigrants on steamers and sailers are en- strating, for things went on as heretofore, came nearer to the Chinese standard than any gaged for several months in advance. troops he had seen. Tajen Chin assented cordially to this criticism, adding that if the gans of the troops were only six feet longer, so as to measure with the Chinese, States. - Alta California. the regiment would, in his judgment, present as complete a specimen of military perfection as could be found anywhere in the Flowery Kingdom."-(The italics are

Another notice from the same source refers to a visit paid to central park, at having stolen a box containing a quantity matter, confessed that he should like to which the Chinese expressed themselves of clothing from the steamer Yesso, the punish the acoundrels, but at the same time much pleased. Now this happens to be exceedingly probable; but the veracions of the steamer, stated the facts of the case; not obey them until June 22nd, after the on the only incident which appears to be Mandarin's evidence to have been the thief,

"The polite Orientals were doubtless well pleased with what they saw, but I doubt very much whether people with whom a big garden is an institution were guilty of the extravagant encomiums upon the Park which Jenkins puts into their

A big garden, in the sense of the Central Park, is as much an institution with the Chinese as with the Abyssinians. Neither more nor less!

The above are the first specimens to hand. But there are plenty of others to reward a most superficial search through rily; and the citizen Lourence Marques, the files of the San Francisco papers. friends swallow all this with a many grains of salt and that " that salt is Attic." We do not of course suppose for an instant that the writers of these precious paragraphs are ignorant of the truth; but if not their indulgence of practical joking is likely to spread the most extravagant notions of the Chinese while, just at this time, it is important that the Americans should have them truthfully presented to them. At first sight a hearty laugh is all that such pa- fendant to pay \$1.50, and thus end the afterwards discovered) of Gazebrook and ragraphs merit. But when we see the Americans acting on these exaggerated notions, -it is time to point out that amnsement to the initiated may be given at the expense of useful knowledge to If the former, no libel can be too strong; the great mass of the American public.

> "A MAN AND A BROTHER. THERE is gratitude still to be found i China! The merchants of Amoy are determined to vindicate themselves from that nopular description of the British China merchant which describes him as " wanting animal"—we mean no speer the verb is to be taken in its active sense -and have presented a complimentary address to their late Commissioner of Customs, Mr Man, on his leaving the nort, which, being well deserved, reflects credit on both the signatories and receiver. This is as it should be, and forcibly reminds one of the promised mille nium, when the lion and the lamb shall lie down together, and the Commissione of Chinese Customs and the British mer-

Apart from the satisfactory nature of this proceeding to the gentleman in question, it is interesting as shewing that Mr Hart's despatch was not so utopian as some thought when he spoke of "Mercantile and Customs' interests not being knife by one, they followed up the chase commander of the gunboat, with the assistseem, that a Commissioner may do his duty well and yet earn the esteem-not merely the respect of the mercantile community. Taken as an indication of The paragraph marked A in the Gazette this possibility the act of the Amoy residents is instructive, and we therefore re-

We are not so sure however that this cordial feeling-where it exists-will contribute to strengthen the power of the British representatives. It is useless to shut our eyes to the fact that the influence which may thus be acquired by a Commissioner, is, under Mr Hart's idea of "direct communications," most dangerous to the authority of the Consular body. It may be that this is one of the many changes which we are destined to see in the next the Aunamite case, appeared in the Gaz its few years, and it is scarcely possible to enlarge upon its probable results, until other questions become definitely settled. In the present state of our relations with China it would seem highly objectionable that the Commissioner should usurp the Carrier, when fortifications were Consul's place. But if China were literdiscussed, and "There is nothing like ally opened up, the matter might assume Hammon," say the San Francisco papers, a new aspect. We refrain therefore at when dealing with Chinese subjects. The present from dogmatizing on the un-Bulletin rejoices in a New York corres doubted tendency of Mr. Hart's instrucpondent who fools his readers to the top tions to his subordinates as specified in

# LOCAL.

THE Band of the 73rd Rogt, will perform Ground instead of the Public Garden, com-

QUADRILLE ... " Nene Melodien," ... Strausa.

GALOP ..... Froh und Heiter, " Faust. when they draw entirely on the imagina. the irresistibly comic man, as clown-are it would appear was carried on without any Une of the most delicious pieces of the row night. The troupe are improving the darins. However, at last the merchants at

performance is the last of the " farewell"

pleased to remark that in their soldierly chance to become rich. According to late arising to the trade of the port were passed proportion of people leaving Austria, Tyrol | illegitimatly prosperous condition, but unand Hungaria far exceeds anything in the fortunately on an evil day they attacked and past; and all are coming to the United

> TO-DAY'S POLICE. Both Magistrates sat to-day to dispose of the heterogeneous collection of petty cases usually found on Monday.

Low Achoy, a barber, was charged with property of Tong Yin Foo, a military mandarin of Canton. Mr Duncan, 3rd officer successfully curb the lawless actions of the and the prisoner was clearly proven by the as he caught the thief while running off Imperial troops in subduing this town of with the box. Prisoner said that he went to meet his brother, who was a passenger gunboat should assist the soldiers of the by the steamer; and he thought the box Taotai and accordingly when the Bustare belonged to his brother. Sentence, six was again put on the Swatow station, it was months' bard labor.

N. George, of the Gunboat Tavern, the work of annhilating these men who charged Wm. Reon, seaman of the French | had attempted to cut short her stock of barque Glaneur, with having consumed provisions on a previous occasion. On the \$3.50 in drink, and then refused to pay for | 28th July the Bustard, having on board Mr the same. His Worship fined the French- G. P. Thompson, acting Consul, as interman \$3.50 (to be paid to complainant), in preter, and D. C. M. Jones, of Swatow, default ten days' hard labor.

Two Chinanien were caught gambling in about six hundred Mandarin troops in its the Street at Tank Lane yesterday after- reduction. The town is situated about noon. P. C. 50 (who was in plain clothes) mile and a half from the River bank, and caught them; the second was acting as is (or rather was) strongly fortified; lying headman at the interesting game of Fan in the midst of open rice fields it was tan, while the first was acting as watch- tested on the outside by earthworks, in His Worship sent the headman to many places three deep ditches lying Gaol for three months with hard labor, between them, and behind the earthworks while the watchman was honored with a the walls of the town. Outside the earthmonth's imprisonment under the same

Samuel Hardacre, described as a clerk whilst in addition to the many other nnemployed, was charged by chair-coolie devices of the townsmen, the whole of the 325 with having refused to pay his chair- fields and paths adjoining were thickly It appeared from the coolie's state- staked, in many places with barbed iron ment that prisoner engaged the chair at spikes, the remainder being of bardwood, eleven A.M. and kept it until 5 P.M., and altogether a really formidable place. There then remunerated the coolie with a ten- was also placed in the town two pieces of cent piece. His Worship ordered the de- ordnance, one bearing the name (as was

James Moore, drummer of the 73rd Re- Mandarin troops being prepared, a demand giment, was charged with having been in was sent in to the head men of the town to a row on Saturday night, at a gambling | surrender to Lieut. Johnson, of the Bustard, house. A watchman at a West end gam- a request which was promptly refused by bling house deposed to the facts of the the party inside the walls At one o'clock, case; that defendant and another soldier therefore, the order for an advance was came into the gambling-house, and planting | given and the Mandarin soldiers advanced a bottle of grog on the fan-tan table, com- to within a hundred yards of the town, and menced to assert their right to be there. then stopped in an undecided manner. As, however, there is nothing in the Gam- Lieut. Johnson, Dr. Jones, and Actingbling regulations to provide for "liquoring" | Consul Thompson then went up to the Chiat the table, the watchman objected, and ness soldiers, and after some trouble got had them both apprehended. On the way them within forty yards of the walls, where Treasury have consented to modify the maticam, a peer may by virtue of his to the Station, both prisoners escaped | pri- a most unforseen event occurred. The Chisoner Moore was afterwards apprehended. Dese soldiers could not get nearer the town Moore pleaded, "I was drunk, and did not | because they were burefooled, and could not know what I was doing." Fined \$0.50, or stand the staked ground, and were moreover

Archibald M'Kellar and Jas. Wilson, considered as favourable weapons for atormseamen of Samuel Russell, were charged ing parties. The approach of the invading with an assault upon another seaman named party, such as it was, met a brisk and good Matthew, and also upon the Police. The fire from the townsmen, in which many fell complainant, who was in a rather battered | wounded. The natural consequence of this condition, was said to have been drunk as first attack was of course the retreat of the well as the prisoners, and his story was | Mandarin's troups, who could not be perdepreciated thereby. Notwithstanding a suaded to assault again for the present considerable row was very apparent, and Lieut, Johnson, the Acting Consul, and Docthe effects showed themselves in one constable's knee being much damaged, while and a smart fire of shot and shell was openother bruises proved the miscellaneous ed on the devoted town for about an nature of the hits given and taken. One the effects of which so encouraged of the Jacks swam off to his ship, and thus | Mandarin's party that they "went escaped, while another got into a boat : | again but as before were repulsed with much and thus hard put, the Sikhs were nearly loss. Night coming on hostilities were put antagonistic." It is possible, it would and caught the two men produced. His ance of coolies sent down by the mandarins, well as his brown Holland trowsers.

The case of nuisance cited the other day | which, however, the inhabitants very well as indicative of the great care (?) shown by resisted the imperial men, who lost several the Inspector of Nuisances (on whose sole | more men, who were well cared for by Dr word many poor Chinese are mulcted) was Jones. Lieutenant Johnson only having again brought up to-day, when the house-

holders were discharged by Mr May. This forenoon, a fine tiger-skin (scarlet could-throw five or six hundred men to lining) was brought to the Charge Room; as stolen property; should any one establish a claim for the same he will recover an article of considerable value.

H.M.'s GUNBOAT "BUSTARD" ON THE RIVER BAN.

We have received the following particulars of an affair between H.M.'s Gunboat Bustard, and some Mandarin troops and the inhabitants of an inland village on the River Han, who have made themselves peculiarly obnoxious to the foreign traders at Swatow. The country inland from Swatow and watered by the River Han, before mentioned, and its tributaries, is extremely fertile, and therefore densely populated, teeming in fact with towns and villages, all of which are more or less fortified. as is usual in the lower provinces China. The inhabitants of this tract of country are a lawless and semi-barbarous lot, who although having the sense to cultivate their land, are yet so sunk in super stitious idolatry, as to be almost in a mitive state. The natural wealth of the land affords these men the power of being able to resist in a formidable manner the on Thesiday, the 11th inst., on the Parade calls and orders of the local mandarins generally successfully, as will be seen by mencing at 5 30 P.M. The following is the the following particulars of the gunboat affair. There is on the River Han one large OVERTURE, ..... "Le Magon," ...... Auber. village, or rather town, called "Choo-chi (in the local dialect "Kok-hoi"), whice has given great trouble to the authorities Valse ..... Die Elfen Reigen," ... Gung'l. by refusing to pay taxes, &c., and setting the law of the land in defiance generally. M. Thoy. Band Sergeant, Conductor. The men of this town seem to have had many peculiar ways of shewing their con-MR. FISHER's benefit at the Circus was tak- | tempt for the powers that be, and among en on Saturday night, when a fair audience | others it was a custom to seize the Imperial enjoyed a good performance. New objects | collectors of customs, and hold them until of attraction-among which Mr Holland, ransomed by their superior, a system which offered for Mr Thompson's benefit to mor- strong action being taken by the Man-Gammon thus presented to the swallow time ere their ship leaves, and they are of Swatow began to feel the effect of this dicourse perfectly right so to do t but it may latery and lax system pursued by the be reasonably supposed that to-morrow's | Mandatins, in not taking active measures against the town, and the grumblings were many. It appears that the natives were in the habit of attacking the cargo-boats, which the American public swallow it all as The emigration to America from Germany were coming down the various branches of is, according to late letters, not only greater | the River, and appropriating the contents. than ever before, but actually frightful, in a manner of conducting the inland trade of the opinion of many of the officials. There the province which highly discusted the The troops appeared in a new uniform, are districts from which more than two- foreign traders at Swatow. In fact, it often and were accompanied by a band numbering thirds of the inhabitants will emigrate. happened that coasting vessels were detainthirds of the inhabitants will emigrate, happened that coassing vessess were detained by a band numbering thirds of the inhabitants will emigrate, happened that coassing vessess were detained by a band numbering thirds of the inhabitants will emigrate, happened that coassing vessess were detained by a band numbering thirds of the inhabitants will emigrate, happened that coassing vessess were detained by a band numbering thirds of the inhabitants will emigrate, happened that coassing vessess were detained by a band numbering thirds of the inhabitants will emigrate, happened that coassing vessess were detained by a band numbering thirds of the inhabitants will emigrate, happened that coassing vessess were detained by a band numbering thirds of the inhabitants will emigrate, happened that coassing vessess were detained by a band numbering thirds of the solution of the boats with the solution of the fair to consider that Lieutenaut Johnson tercourse with this superior rank of quality; and maintained her inof umbrellas used by gentlemen against the mere. They made a fine appearance was in Europe, and a desire to reach a land the produce of the country being stopped

witnessed by the high oriental officers with are maintained by the fundamental laws of of the wholesome dread in which some of munity of Swatow. The Drake came too essences, pomades, head-gears from France, "intense gratification." Tajen Sun was the land, and where a poor man has a these villagers were held. The ills thus late to share in the reduction of the town, not to mention drugs of various descripletters, all the places suitable for poor over, or the merchants got tired of remon- tion of being present at the surrender of this den which has so long defied all and Choo-chi was becoming in a most authority. - Press.

THE HONGKONG AND SHANGHAJ BANKING CORPORATION. The following is the sixth Report of the lourt of Directors to the Ordinary halfyearly General Meeting of Shareholders, to e held at the Banking House of the Corparation, Hongkong, on Thursday, the 13th

The Directors have the pleasure to submit for the approval of the Proprietors the sixth half-yearly Report on the operations of the Corporation, ending on 30th June

men of this particular town of Choo-chi. The net Profit for that period, including \$57,276.60 brought forward from last account, after paying all charges, deducting interest paid and due, and making full provision for bad debts, amounts to 3396,981.96 of which, after taking out rebate on Bills not yet due, and remuneration to Directors. there remains for appropriation \$375.974.14 From the latter sum, the Directors recommend the distribution of a Dividend of \$7 50 per share on the Paid-up Shares, and \$1.50 per share on the New Shares, being equivalent to six per cent for the half-year, or twelve per cent per aurum; this will absorb \$180,000 and of the balance the Directors propose carrying \$125,000 to the Reserve Fund, thus raising this fund to Halfa-Million of Dollars; and \$70,674.14 to the Credit of new Profit and Loss Account.

The growing success of the Bank, resulting, as it has done, in such an eminently satisfactory statement of accounts as is now submitted, would have justified the Court in recommending the distribution of a larger dividend than the one above suggested out, faithful to the policy to which they have always adhered, the Directors consider it more conducive to the true interests of the Corporation to continue atrengthening the Reserve. Fund by a liberal appropriation out of the realized profits: a course of action likely to be thoroughly appreciated by the general public, and a steady perseverance in which must further raise the credit and standing of the Bank.

Uncalled Capital.

H. Foster, Junr., has retired, and Messrs been elected as Directors in the place of

Mesers Sutherland and Foster. Holliday, Wise & Co., to join the Direct to strip Mrs Borrodaile-we are speaking tion, and would ask the Shareholders to of her pocket, not of her person-and at port. Mr E, R. Belilios has offered him- was penniless, and that, as far as she was self as a Director, and the Court recommend the application to the favorable cou-

Worship ordered the prisoners to pay \$5 managed to get a 24-pound Howitzer in a returned to the Colony, has been requested each, or go to Gaol for 21 days. Also, \$5 good position within 600 yards of the town, to resume his functions as Auditor; Mr W. amends were ordered to be paid to the and opened fire at 10 a.m. The execution C. Hunter, who acted in that capacity, dur-Sikh who got his knee-cap damaged as done by the 24-pounder on the buildings of ing of Rennie's absence, having recently Choo-chi was considerable, notwithstanding left China.

GEORGE J. HELLAND, Chairman.

THE BEAUTY-MARKET. (Saturday Review.)

Somewhat sharp practice has been use resist an attack at any one point. At 11.30 | towards ourselves for certain strictures and a.m. a message was sent from within the moralizings which we have addressed to our walls to Lieut. Johnson saying that the readers on the female manners and morals leaders would be given up to him if hostili- of the day. We have had a little of Jedties were discontinued. The commander wood justice, that sort of justice which the of the gunboat agreed to this, inasmuch as old poet finds in the infernal regions, admithe messengers promised to come to terms | nistered to us. Our picture of the Girl of with the Mandarins towever, when the the Period has been condemned first and time came the following day for the deli- tried afterwards, and found not guilty at very of the ringleaders, the men of the town | last. We have been assailed as foul libelshuffled, and said the men should be handed | lers of the sex and the age, because we have over the next day. Mr Thompson was hinted that the arts and slippery accomplishunable to remain any longer at the scene of ments of Lais have been aped and simulataction, and the Bustard was therefore ed, if not cultivated, in the model English obliged to return to Swatow, and leave the family, the home of all the virtues and mobest part of the work undone. On the let | desties. With spasmodic and hysterical inof August, the Drake, Lient. Crowdy, dignation it has been denied that, as of old arrived at Swatow, on her way from Hong- the mature virgin of our own homes has kong to Formosa, and it was arranged that learned the Ionio accomplishments of gesthe two ganboats should go up the river ture and dress. Of course our pictures. "see the business out" on the were in this sense ideal, that they reprefollowing day. Having arrived, there sented a class. They were compositions, as once more before Choo chi, a de- artists say, not photographs; and they remand was sent in for the surrender presented, not the sex, but a class of the of the town, and the place was given sex. But here is a truth, like many other up on the following morning, when twenty- truths, stranger than fiction. Madame Rafour men of the gunboats with their officers | chel-or, to drop her celestial pseudonym, marched into the little nest of rebellion, the woman Leverson-and the widow Borfollowed by the district Mandarins, and rodaile are no inventions of the Saturday about 200 of their troops. The towns | Review. The Police Court on the one hand people gave in completely, and surrendered and the London Directory, as regards the their guns dec., all the earthworks and other | Canidia of the occasion, and on the other, defences were entirely destroyed and level- unless we are mistaken, the more recondite , and the stockades were burnt to the anna's of Debreit or Burett or Burke, as correcting the proof sheets of his "Lieder," ground. The place was found to be richly | relates to the duce, are sufficient guarantees stored with Sugar and Rice, and it is ex- for the plain historical character of a recent | A TREATY of amity and commerce bepected that the proceeds of this will be incident of which the facts, as tween the King of Sweden and Norway and made to defray the expenses of the expedition, Mr. Counsellor Williams, on intro- the Supreme King of Siam has been signed but of course this is matter entirely in the ducing it to Mr. Knox at Marlbo at the Swedish Legation by their respective hands of the Mandarins. At 5 a.m. on the rough Street, remarked, are "short but plenipotentiaries, Baron Hochschild and 4th August, the Bustard and Drake return- incredible." He described it as an intricate Sir John Bowring. ed to Swatow, leaving the Mandarius in matter, and it is so because Madame Rachel has not only two names, but two functions. The conduct of Lieut. Johnson through- Those who have read Walter Scott-though out the affair seems most praiseworthy, for in these days few, we fear, read the Waver. Romsey in July. Divine service will be it is pretty plain that for all the use the ly Novels-will remember a certain Danie Mandarin's troops were, they might just as Ursula, modelled from an historical charac- London will preach the sermon. well have stayed away. Several of the ter, one Mrs. Turner, who had the misforhouses were knocked down by the fire of tune to come to condign punishment for her carpets, so celebrated for the richness of the Bustard's gun on the 29th and 30th share in the oisoning of Sir Thomas Over- their texture, and for exquisite beauty of July, and therefore as the townspeople bury. Scott is ungallant enough to speak design and colouring, has just been sold by would not leave their walls, it became a of the occupation of Mr Turner as that anction for 365,000fr. It belonged to the question of time and powder to level the of "half milliner, half procuress, and secret Society Sollandrouze de la Mornaix. whole place. There is no doubt that by agent in all manner of proceedings"; and the salutary lesson administered to the describing his fictitious Madame Ursula Autumn of life should be decked in gay pirates and other marauders on the River more in detail, as a pupil of Mrs. Turner, colours, because the Autumn of the year Han, the system of pillaging cargo-boats the great novelist says, "She had acquain- is, bound to Swatow with inland produce will tances - nay, patrons and patronesses - A warren in the Sitcle says the fashion fair to consider that Lieutenaut Johnson tercourse with this superior rank of custom-

but still her commander had the satisfactions, chiefly for the use of the ladies, and partly by other services more or less connected with the esoteric branches of her profession." This last quotation saves us a world of trouble; in some—it is not for us to say in what-particulars it may serve as a sufficient account of the calling of Madame Rachel, i.e. Mrs. Leverson, whose invitations to the fashionable world to become beautiful for ever by the aid of her choicely called essences and noguents of all Araby and either Ind are familiar to those who read the advertisements of the Daily Telegraph and other manuals of social morality. Venus in these days does not lend her cestus for nothing. We are a mercantile generation, and our women value their charms much as people do any other investment. The ladies, it seems, purchase beauty stock with a view to dividends. The quinquagenarian widow Borrodaile looked for very high returns. With a mother's feelings, she thought it would be highly advantageous to her daughter if she married a lord. Her object was twofold-to become beautiful for. ever and to become a peeress; the double event required a proportionately heavy stake. Madame Rachel was plainspoken enough; "to become beautiful for ever" a large sum would be required; to secure a noble alliance she would have to pay hea-The charms of Ninon are not cheap. and Cophetua in these days is bought by the beggar-maid. So far, we must say, all was fair and above-board; the bargain was perfectly intelligible and perfectly under-

As to the means, we should say they were not strictly defensible, but there is some amount of precedent, sacred and profene. for them. Everybody knows that the bath. is sacred to the Goddess of Love. David. king and prophet, discovered in the bath the unveiled charms of Bathsheba; so did the two elders; but we do not find that either Uriah's wife or chaste Susannah was conscious of the curious eyes that were surveying her beauties. The wife of Candaules, to be sure, may be mentioued on on the other side; but it is new to us that here in Loudon there are bath-rooms corstructed with trous-Judas of which Aphredite Anadyomene is perfectly aware. It. was so in this case, according to Mrs Borrodeile's own information. "A noblemsn The Directors are happy to inform the had seen her while taking her bath, and Shareholders that the application made by had fallen in love with her, and was auxious them to the Home Government, through to be introduced." Here we trace rethe Colonial Authorities, for an extention miniscences of the Diamond Nacklace case of the time within which, according to the and a fictitious peer, taking Lord Ranelagh's Ordinance of Incorporation, the remaining | title and person in vain, comes on the scene. portion of the Subscribed Capital of the His demonstrations of love were ardent, Bank would have to be called up, has been | there was no time to spare with a parti favorably entertained, and that, thanks to senescent and gold-entressed-the reporters the kind intervention of His Excellency unpoetically style it a quantity of reddish Sir Richard Graves Macdonnell, C.B., the hair curled over her forehead. If an Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Emperor may claim to be super gramterms of the Bank's Charter, so as to defer coronet rise superior to orthography, and the compulsory Payment of the Uncalled the fictitious nobleman's spelling and Capital, (viz: Two Millions of Dollars), un- caligraphy is said to be scarcely equal to his til the 31st December, 1874, being five sentiments. That Plutus somehow had years beyond the date originally fixed as the superseded the expected Hymen does not appear to have much surprised Mrs Borrodaile. Saffron torches cost money, and Since the date of the last Report, the | the whole thing was a matter of business. ollowing changes have taken place; Mr W. Diamonds were ordered; wedding dresses were bought; the bridegroom was largely J. P. Duncanson and W. H. Forbes, have subsidized; and 4,000%,—every farthing that she had—passed from Mrs Borrodaile, so she says, into the hands of Madaine The Court have also considered it advis- Rachel; and further deponent saith not. It seems to have taken two or three years concerned, Lord Ranelagh was an entire myth. She now says that she was induced to part with her money on the representation that it passed to Lord Ranelagh, and that he was prepared to marry her. On these alleged facts Madame Rachel-Leverson is prosecuted for obtaining money by false pretences and for conspiracy. The case is remanded; two good bail of 1,000l. each have been required, and are found.

DEAD LETTERS.

List of Dead Letters which have been returned from the General Post Office in Loudon and other places, for the various reasons assigned upon them, addressed as andermentioned, the writers of which can obtain them on application. Austin, D., Hornsey Road, England, Bernhard, Monsr. T., Zurich. Bould, L. Stellin.

Clowes, Rennie & Co., Loudon. Curtis, Miss, Whitechapel, London, Cimey, Capt., Demerars. Elmes, J. W., D.A.C.G., Dublin, (2) Gomes da Silva, Lisboa Hanker, Thos., York, England. Hans, T., Bergen, Norway. Hall, Measrs. Wm., & Co., London. Barington, Miss, London. Hartong, P. C., Amsterdam, Laur, Mrs. G., Camberwell, London. Mackehin, Mrs. St. Vincent, W. Indies. Nelson, Mrs. Bonn, Germany, Putnum, Miss, Paris. Poulsen, Miss, Bagatelle, Hamburgh, Struguree, Thus. M., London. Scott & Robertson, London, Steele Moritz & Co., Liverpool. Wheatley, Henry, Belfast. Williams, Miss, London. Watt, Capt., ship Gerainte, Calcutta, Ylorn, Anna Y., Hamburg.

F. W. MITCHELL Postmaster General. General Post Office, Hongkong, 4th August, 1868.

THE ex-King of Ha lover is engaged in

THE Hampshire papers state that the statue of Lord Palmerston will be inaugurated, and the memorial window unveiled in held on the occasion, and the Bishop of

Tax old manufactory of Aubusson Old women scen to think that the

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General Post Office, Hongkong, July 29, 1868.

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F. W. MITCHELL, Postmaster General. General Post Office, Hongkong, July 31, 1868.

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ROWLEY MILLER, Secretary & Auditor. Shanghai, 24th February, 1868.

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Hongkong, February 26, 1868. TATHAM'S BRANDY in 1 doz. cases. SHERRY ,, 3 CLARET 1 1 Hongkong, April 9, 1867.

FUR SALE. TELLOW METAL and NAILS, 18 to Superior CLARET ST. PIERRE, 1852. Superior CHAMPAGNE, H. PIPER & Co., carte blanche SPIRITS OF WINE, in Boxes of 1 don Hongkong, October 1, 1866.

LIENDRIE, PIESSE & LUBIN'S Fine As-LA sortment of PERFUMES. DAWSON & SONS' BOOTS, For Sale, at greatly Reduced Prices, by JULES EUZIERE, Hair Dressing Room, Up-stairs. Hongkong, December 4, 1867.

FOR SALE. WELLOW METAL, 18 to 28 oz. Munit and Vivians. JOHN BURD & Co. Hongkong, April 5, 1867.

FOR SALE, DHOTOGRAPHIC APPARATUS, com MULLER & CLAUSSEN. Hongkong, January 13, 1868.

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Insurances

No. 1617. - August 10, 18

LONDON AND PROVINCIAL MARI

INSURANCE COMPANY. Agents at Hongkong,-

Messis. Augustine Heard & Co. OTICE is hereby given that the h yearly interest at the rate of 10 cent per annum will be payable to Shareholders at the London and Coni Bank, Lombard Street, Loudon, on after the 8th July 1868.

London, June 19, 1868. JUEAN MARINE INSURANCE

JAS. LE GEYT DANIELL

COMPANY: LUNDON. Incorporated 1859. CAPITAL, -£1,000,000. HE Undersigned having been appoint Agents for the above Company are 1

pared to accept Marine risks and is Policies at current rates. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co Hongkong, June 6, 1867. LONDON AND PROVINCIAL MARI INSURANCE COMPANY. THE Undersigned having been appoint

Agents in Hongkong for the ab Company, are prepared to grant Mar AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co Hongkong, March 6, 1868. ALBERT LIFE ASSURANCE

COMPANY ESTABLISHED 1838. CAPITAL, £500,000. Managing Agents in China. - Mest AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co., Hongko Medical Referce, - J. Ivon MURR HE Undersigned having been appoint

Managing Agents for the above Co pany are prepared to accept risks and is Policies on Life Assurances. For further particulars, forms of prosals, &c., apply to AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co

Managing Agents in China. Hongkong, June, 1867. JAVA SEA AND FIRE INSURANC COMPANY HE Undersigned having been appoint Agents at Hongkong and Canton the above Company are prepared to pr Policies against Sea Risks at current rate ARNHOLD KARBERG & Co Hongkong, July 27, 1868.

LANCASHIRE INSURANCE. COMPANY. (FIRE AND LIFE.) CAPITAL, -Two MILLIONS STERLING.

HE Undersigned are prepared to gr POLICIES against the Risk of FIRE Buildings or on Goods stored therein, Coals in Matsheds, on Goods on box Vessels and on Hulls of Vessels in H bour, at the usual Terms and Conditions Proposals for Life Assurances will be ceived, and transmitted to the Direct for their decision. If required, protection will be granted

first class Lives up to £1000 on a Sing For Rates of Premiums, forms of p posals or any other information apply t ARNHOLD KARBERG & Co Agents Hongkong & Canton. Hongkong, January 4, 1867.

LANCASHIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. NOTICE ROM and after this date the follow Rates will be charged on short per Insurances, viz:-

Not exceeding } + of the Annual Rat

one month,... Above I month and not exceeding three mouths, ..... Above 3 m'ths and 'not excoeding · six mouths.....

Hongkong, April 14, 1868. IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. HE Undersigned having been appoin Agents for the above Company at Port, are prepared to grant Policies aga Fire to the extent of \$80,000 on Buildin

or on Goods stored therein.

Above 1 month and

Above 6 m'ths, The full Annual Ra

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & C.

Agents, Lancashire Insurance Compa

Hongkong, August 24, 1864. NOTICE. IMPERIAL FIRE OFFICE. PROM and after this date the follow Rates will be charged for Short Pe Insurances, viz:-

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not exceeding 0,... 1 Above 6 months,.... the full annual GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., A jents, Imperial Fire Insurance Compar Hongkong, AApril 7, 1868. IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE

INTIL further notice the following Insurance, viz ;--Detached and Semi-detached Byelling Houses removed from the Town, and their Contents. . Other Dwelling Houses used

and their Contents, . GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co Hongkong, March 6, 1865.

FORBE & CO.'S CONSTITUE INSURANCE COMPANY. THE Undersigned having been appoint Agents for the above Companies prepared to accept Risks on the usual te

Hongkong, February 26, 1868.

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nual Rates will be charged for strictly as such, and their Contents, Godowns, Officer, Shops, &c.

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JAS. LE GEYT DANIELL

cent per annum will be payable to the

Shareholders at the London and County

Hank, Lombard Street, London, on and

CEAN MARINE INSURANCE

COMPANY.

LONDON.

Incorrorated 1859.

CAPITAL, -£1,000,000.

IC Undersigned having been appointed

AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.

Agents for the above Company are pre-

pared to accept Marine risks and issue

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AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.

ALBERT LIFE ASSURANCE

COMPANY.

ESTABLISHED 1838.

CAPITAL, EDUU, UUU.

Managing Agents in China, - Messrs.

AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co., Hongkong,

Medical Referce, - J. Ivon MURRAY.

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For further particulars, forms of propo-

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 ${\tt COMPANY}_{i}$ 

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COMPANY.

(FIRE AND LIFE.)

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ARNHOLD KARBERG & Co.

Agents Hongkong & Canton.

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NOTICE

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GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

COMPANY.

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Policies against the Risk of FIRE on

ARNHOLD KARBERG & Co.

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AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.

Managing Agents in China.

Managing Agents for the above Com-

INSURANCE COMPANY

after the 8th July 1808.

Policies at current rates.

Risks at current rates.

Hongkong, March 6, 1868.

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Modowns, Offican, Shops, &c. and their Contents. 1 per cent. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., 18 to 28 oz. Munte Agents, Imperial Fire Insurance N BURD & Co.

Hongkong, March 6, 1865. BOMBAY INSURANCE COMPANY FORBEC & CO. 'S CONSTITUENTS

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INSURANCE COMPANY. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Companies are GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, February 26, 1868.

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NOTICE. NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILI INSURANCE COMPANY. ROM and after this date the following

Rates will be charged in Short Period Insurance, viz:-Not exceeding one \ 1 of the annual rate. Above I month, and THE Undersigned having been appointed not exceeding 3 } Company, are prepared to grant Marine Above 3 months, and

not exceeding 6 months. the full Annual rate. Above 6 months. GILMAN & Co., Agents, North British and Mercantile

Insurance Company. Hongkong, April 7, 1868. NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.

Incorporated by Itoyal Charter and Special Acts of Parliament.

ESTABLISHED 1809.

CAPITAL £2,000,000 ACCUMULATED FUNDS £2,233,927.

ANNUAL REVENUE £497, 263. THE Undersigned Agents at Hongkong for the above Company are prepared to grant Policies against FIRE, to the extent of £10,000 on any Building, or on Agents at Hongkong and Canton for Merchandise in the same. GILMAN & Co. Hongkong, June 21, 1864.

> THE LONDON ASSURANCE CORPORATION. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents of the above Corporation are prepared to grant Fire and Marine Insurance on the usual Terms. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkon December 26, 1867.

NOTICE MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY ceived, and transmitted to the Directors HE following Rates will be charged i future for short period Insurance If required, protection will be granted on

first class Lives up to £1000 on a Single | Not exceeding I month, & per cent. Above 1 month and not exceeding 3 months, 1 Above 3 months and not exceeding 6: . the full annual rate Above 6 months.....

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, April 8, 1868.

LONDON ASSURANCE CORPO-RATION. PROM and after this date the following HE following rates will in future be Rates will be charged on short period L charged for Short Period Insurances: One month, . . . . . . . per cent. Three months,

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HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE Above 3 m'ths COMPANY, LIMITED and not ex-

CAPITAL \$2,000,000, IN 2,000 SHARES OF Above 6 m'ths. The full Annual Rate. ARNHULD, KARBERG & Co. Agents, Lancashire Insurance Company.

\$100 per Share to be paid on Allotment, and \$100 ria months after Allotment.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.

NOTICE. I'ITH reference to the following Resolutions passed at a Merting of the Shareholders of the Hongkong Fire Insurance Company held on the 8th instant, applications for Shares in the Hongkong Fire Insurance Company, Limited will be received by the General Managers, the form of application to be as follows:--

To the General Managers and Consulting Committee of the Honokong FIER IN BURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

JENTGEMEN, -I request you to allot me Shares o One Thousand Lollars each in the above named Company, and I agree to accept such Shares, or any less number which may be allotted to me, and to pay a Call of One Hundred Dollars per Share on allotment and a further Call of One Hundred Dollars per Share, six months after allotment, and I further undertake to subscribe to the Deed of Settlement when called on to do so.

I remain, Gentlemen, Your Obedient Servant,

RESOLUTIONS REFERRED TO ABOVE. That the General Managers and Consult ng Committee are hereby authorized to adopt measures for the reconstruction of the Company as the Hongkong Fire Insurance Company, Limited, on the basis proposed in the Memorandum of the 2nd April

presented to this Meeting. ing Committee are hereby requested to re- or on Goods stored therein. ceive applications for Shares in the Hong-kong rue insurance Company, Limited, and on the receipt of such applications to the extent of One Thousand Shares to call an Extraordinary General Meeting of the THE QUEEN INSURANCE COMPANY Hongkong Fire Insurance Company for the

the transfer of its assets and liabilities to viz: the new Company. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers

Hongkong Fire Insurance Company. N.B.-Forms of application for Shares prepared to accept Risks on the usual terms. may be had at the Office of the Company, Queen's Road. Hongkong, April 9, 1868,

#### insurances.

HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

NOTICE. ROM and after this date the following rates will be charged for Short Period Insurances, viz;-Not exceeding } } of the Annual Rate.

Above 1 month and not exceeding three? months. Above 3 m'the and not excecding six (4 ) months.

Above 6 m'ths, The full Annual Rate. JARDINE, MATHESUN & Co., General Managers, Hongkong Fire Insurance Company.

Hongkong, April 7, 1868. ALLIANCE FIRE ASSURANCE

COMPANY: NOTICE I ROM and after this date the following rates will be charged for Short Period msurances, viz.

Not exceeding I of the Annual Rate. one month ... Above 1 month and not exceeding three months. Above 3 m'ths and not exceeding six (4 "

months. Above 6 m'ths, The full Annual Rate. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Agents, Alliance Fire Assurance Company Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

THE NORTH-CHINA INSURANCE COMPANY. (Estublished 1st January, 1863.) CAPITAL, TLS. 1,500,000, IN 1,500 SHARES FOR TLS. 1,000 EACH. Paid up Capital, Taels 300,000,

or Taels 200 per Share. Provisional Committee. W. J. BRYANS, Esq., Chairman. (Messre Turner & Co.) E. F. H. BELL, Esq.

(Messrs W. R. ADAMSON & Co.) A. MICHIE, Eaq. (Messrs Charman, King & Co.) E. H. LAVERS, Esq. (Mesers Gilman & Co.)

F. PORTER, Esq. (Messrs Gibb, Livingston & Co.) Directors of the Company, 1866-68. T a General pleeting held on Tuesday, A the 12th day of May, 1868, the following Resolutions were passed, relative to the continuance of the Company for a further period of three years from the 1st January, 1869; and Notice is hereby given that applications for Shares in the annexed Form, will be received at the Offices of the

Company until 31st October, 1868, Applications for Shares from Persons not resident in Shanghai, must be accompanied | tionably. by a Power of Attorney to their Agents to sign the Deed of Settlement on their behalf and generally to represent them in all matters connected with the Company.

In accordance with the Resolution passed at the meeting of 18th November, 1867, a separate Office of the Company will be opened in London, on 1st January, 1869. By order of the Court of Directors, JOHN S. MACKINTOSH,

Secretary. Shanghai, May 15, 1868. Form of Application for Shares.

To the Provisional Committee of the NORTH CHINA INSUBANCE COMPANY. GENTLEMEN.

hereby request that you will allot Shares in the above Company, and agree to accept such Shares, or any less number you may allot to agree to pay the first call of Tla. 200 per Share, and all subsequent calls, and to aubscribe to the Deed of Settlement whenever required to do so.

Gentlemen. Your obcdient Servant

Resolutions referred to above. RES. I.-That a Company to be called the "North China Insurance Company shall be formed for a further period of three vears, from 1st January, 1869 to 31st Dec.,

Res. II.-That the Directors for the time being of the present Company be appointed o act as a Provisional Committee to organize the new Company. Res. 111.—That this meeting recommends that the Provisional Committee should from the Town, the rate of Premium will adopt as the basis of the new Company that be Three-quarters per Cent, in place of One the capital should be 1,500,000 in 1,500 Shares of Tls. 1,000 each; Paid up Capital,

Tls. 300,000 or Tls. 200 per Share, and that the Committee be authorized to issue prospectus inviting applications for Shares and to proceed with the allotnient. 31oc

MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY OF MANCHESTER

AND LONDON. CAPITAL ONE MILLION STERLING. HE DIRECTORS have the pleasure to announce the appointment of Messre Holliday. Wise & Co. as agents for the Company at Hongkong, Shanghae, Canton, Hankow, and Fuhchau, who are prepared to grant Insurances at current rates and of whom all needful information may be ob-

By Order of the Board. JAN B. NORTHCOTT, Secretary.

THE QUEEN INSURANCE COMPANY. CAPITAL, TWO MILLION STERLING. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company at this port, are prepared to grant Policies against That the General Managers and Consult- Fire, to the extent of £10,000, on Buildings MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co.

Hongkong, May 20, 1868. NOTICE. THE following Rates will be charged in purpose of authorizing its dissolution and I future for short period Insurances.

Not exceeding 1 month, 4 of the annual rate. Above 1 month and not exceeding 3 months, & do. Above 3 mouths and

not exceeding 6, ..... A do. Above 6 months,..... the full annual rate. MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co., Agents the Queen Insurance Company. Hongkong, May 20, 1868,

## insurances.

NOTICE. GUARDIAN ASSURANCE COMPANY

OF LONDON. ESTABLISHED 1821. CAPITAL £2,000,000.

HE Undersigned baving been appointed Agents of the above Company for Hougkong and Canton are prepared to grant Policies at current rates. OLYPHANT & Co. Hongkong, July 17, 1868.

MERCHANT'S MUTUAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY, SAN FRANCISCO.

PAID UP CAPITAL, \$500,000.

HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong and China for the above Company, are prepared to grant Policies at Current Rates. OLYPHANT & Co.

Hongkong, August 9 1867. ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY.

FIRE AND LIFE.

CAPITAL, £2,000,000.

(LIFE DEPARTMENT.) P o per Cent, per Annum Bonus declared La during the last Fifteen Years on all Profit participating Policies of Two

Years' standing. The utmost liberality practised in the settlement of all Claims, with the representatives of deceased Assurers. An Assurance for any sum not exceeding £1000 can be effected with the Undersigned without referring to Head-quarters. By special authority of the Board, Claims are settled at once by the Undersigned

without reference to England

Fees to Medical Referees paid by th No forfeiture of Policy from unintentional mis-statement Premiums payable Half-yearly or Annually at the option of the Assured. Annual Premiums for an Assurance of £100 for the whole term of Life, including £2. 10s. per Cent, for Foreign Risk, which will be deducted during a visit to or a per-

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N.B. Intermediate ages charged propor-

For Forms, for effecting Life Assurances and for any further information, apply to. ROB, S. WALKER & Co., Agents. Hongkong, September 3, 1864.

ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY. THE following Rates will be charged in future for short period Insurances,

Not exceeding One } t per ent. Above Une Month and not exceeding } per cent. Three Months. Above Three Months

and not exceeding } 4 per cent. Six Months. Thefull Annual Rate Above Six Months. of I per cent. ROB. S. WALKER & Co., Agents Royal Insurance Company, Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM FOR

FIRE INSURANCE. THE Undersigned have (as already intimated in their Circular dated 14th October last) received authority from the Secretary of the ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY to Reduce the rate of Premium under certain circumstances, on PRIVATE RESIDENCES and on FURNITURE and EF-

FECTS, therein contained, In cases of Dwelling-Houses removed per Cent. per Aunum as hitherto charged and in cases of Residences, so situated, be ing detached or semi-detached, the rate will be further reduced to One-half per Cent. The Royal's Annual Rates for FIRE IN-SURANCE on the various classes of Building and their contents will therefore remain as

follows, until further notice, viz. Detached and semi-detached Dwelling-Houses (removed from the Town) and their per cent. ther Dwelling-Houses (similarly situated) and their

Contents. First Class China House and their Contents, 14 per cent Other Risks as per special arrangement ROB. S. WALKER & Co., Agents Royal Insurance Company Hongkong, November 9, 1866.

NOTICE. THE Undersigned having received extended limits from THE ROYA! INSUR ANCE COMPANY, are now authorised to issue Policies against FIRE as follows, viz. On any one first-class Building, or on Goods stored therein - in Hengkong, \$60,000; in Macao \$45,000. ROB. S. WALKER & Co.,

Hongkong, June 17, 1864. THE UNIVERSAL LIFE ASSURANCE SOCIETY OF CALCUTTA. ESTABLISHED 1834.

Agents Royal Ingar. Company of Liverpool.

Subscribed Capital, .....£500,000. Accumulated Funds exceed £808,000. THE Undersigned are empowered to accept LIFE ASSURANCES in the above Society. Full particulars given on appli-

ROB. S. WALKER & Co. Hongkong, February 21, 1868.

## Insurances

LIFE ASSURANCE. THE Undersigned have received Authority by a recent Mail to issue LIFE Policies for amounts not exceeding £1000 without reference to the Head Office, aswas previously required by the Board,

ROB. S. WALLER & Co., Agents Royal Insurance Company. Hongkong, January 6, 1865.

AMICABLE INSURANCE OFFICE HE Undersigned having been appointed

Agents for the above INSURANCE OFFICE, are prepared to accept Marine Kisks, and issue Policies on any first class Sailing Vessels or Steamers, on the usual terms, payable in case of loss, in CHINA SINGAPORE, CALCUTTA, BOMBAY, OF LONDON ROB. S. WALKER & Co. Hongkong, June 17, 1864.

YANGTZE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION OF SHANGHAL,

DIVIDEND of (8 per cent.) Eight A per cent has been declared on the Net Premia contributed to the above Association for the year ending 30th September, 1866. Policy HOLDERS will please send in particulars of their contribution to that | tion of the Directors. date to the Undersigned. RUSSELL & Co.,

Secretaries. Hongkong, September 7, 1867.

YANG-TSZE INSURANCE ASSOCIA-

TION OF SHANGHAL HE Undersigned having been appointed Secretaries and Agents of this Association, are prepared to issue Policies upon Marine Risks at current rates of premium. Policies can be made payable in London, New York, Bombay, Calcutta, Singapore, Hongkong, Foochow and Shanghai. In addition to the usual brokerage this Association returns to the assured of each year at the close of each current year, fifteen (15) per cent of the profits of the Company for that year divided pro rata to the amount of premium paid by each po-

RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, March 2, 1867.

PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAN FRANCISCO. HE Undersigned, a gents for the above Company are prepared to grant Policies against FIRE, on BUILDINGS and GOODS, at current rates.

RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, February 6, 1867. PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAN FRANCISCO. HE Undersigned having been appointed

Agents in China for the above Insur. ANCE COMPANY are prepared to grant Policy covering Marine Risks, at the current F.USSELL & Co. Hongkong, July 6, 1866.

BATAVIA SEA & FIRE INSURANCE THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above named Company are prepared to grant Policies against SEA RISKS, at currentrates.

Hongkong, April 1, 1865. SAMARANA SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF

SAMARANG THE Undersigned having been appointed. Agents in Macao for the above name Company are prepared to grant Policies covering Marine Risks at the current Rates RAYNAL & Co.

Macao, August 4, 1866. DE OOSTERLING SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COM-

PANY OF BATAVIA. SAMARANG SEA AND FIRE INSUR

ANCE COMPA 'Y OF SAMARANG. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above named Companies are prepared to grant Policies against Sea Risks on the usual SIEMSSEN & Co.

Hongkong, August 1866. T the request of the Undersigned Messrs GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. have taken temporary charge of the following Insurance Companies :—

Phoenix Assurance Company Liverpool and London and Globe lusur ance Company. London and Provincial Marine Insurance Universal Marine Insurance Companyd

SMITH, KENNEDY & Co., Hongkong, July 2, 1867.

NOTICE, NORTHERN ASSURANCE COMPANY I. ROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged for Short Period

Not exceeding one month, ..... a of the Annual Rate Above one month and not exceeding 3 months, ..... Above 3 months

and not exceed-

ing 6 months .... Above 6 months, the full annual rate. TURNER & Co., Hongkong, April 13, 1868.

THE UNION DOCK COMPANY OF HONGKONG & WHAMPOA, LIMITED.

THE Company respectfully beg to call the attention of Ship Owners, Consignees and Musters of Vessels to their establishments at Whampon and Hongkong, which pairs of Vessels of all classes.

Steam, and the workshops comprise the the Directors of the Company. 21ag different departments of Shipwright, Black-

## Docks.

smith, Boilermaker, and Machine works. Materials supplied of the best kind and on the most reasonable terms. A jetty with a pair of powerful lifting shears, alongside of which masts and boilers can be taken out

Their Hongkong establishment comprises also the different departments of Shipwright, Blacksmith, Boilermaker and Machine works and possesses a pair of lifting

Their Granite Dock at Kowloon most advantageously situated, solidly built, and of full dimensions to admit the docking of any Vessel coming to this harbour, will be completed in a very short time. The Steam Tug "LITTLE ORPHAN"

is always in readiness to tow Vessels to Dock, free of charge, and to sea, or new berth, at reduced rates. All works carried on under the superin-

tendence of experienced European foremen. For particulars, apply at the office of the Company, Queen's Road. JOHN INGLIS. Acting Secretary.

N.B.—Consigners or Masters of Vessels having cause to complain of the works done at the Docks or at Hongkong, will please address their complaints to the Office of the Company, which will receive the immediate atten-Hongkong, July 14, 1868.

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The North German barque Norma, from Hamburg, reports on leaving port had bad squally weather. Crossed the Equator on 13th May, in long. 29 W. Passed the meridian of the Cape of Good Hope on 13th June, in lat. 43 S.; passed Amsterdama Island on 1st July; made. St. Paul's Island on the same day; made Java Head on 21st July; passed Anjor 24th July. On 3rd Aug. in lat. 12 N., long. 111 E. had heavy lightning from E.S.E. to N.W. The wind then went round from S. W. to N. W. and it commened blowing heavily from N.N.W; tacked to S. for 32 hours until wind came round to S.W.; then set sails and kept to the N.E.; wind came more to the North with heavy sea; then had fine weather and light winds until arrival in Hongkong on 11th August ; 128 days out. On 22d July, in Straits of Sunda spoke the British barque Lapata from London also the Brem. barque Withelm.

The North German barque Caroline, left this port for Falmouth on 4th instant, and put back on 6th on account of bad weather; On the 5th inst., when in lat. 18.30 N., long. 111 E., it commenced blowing a heavy gale from N.E., with very heavy cross sev the wind rounded to N.W., S. and S.W. on 6th inst., at 2 A.M., the gale increased, the ship was laid on her beam ends and had to cut away the main and mizen maste to save the ship; on same day at daylight found the ship close to the coast of Haihan; made much sail to bring the ship off the coast and then proceeded to Hougkong.

The Siamese barque Edward Marguard from Bangkok, reports the first part of passage fine weather and light wind unti 3d August; then had heavy gale from N.N.E. to N.E. and heavy cross sea which lasted for 3 days ; then had moderate and fine weather until arrival. On 31st July spoke the Hamburg barque Matador, in Lat. 12,27 N., Long. 111.48 E. Shu wished to be reported.

The British ship City of Quebec, from Calcutta, reports the first part of passage fine weather and light winds, until 4th August; then had strong gale from W. N. W. with heavy cross sea and much rain and heavy squalls for 24 hours. From then: had moderate weather until arrival in

The Slamese ship Cutty Sark, from Bangkok, reports fine weather and light winds the August; then had strong gale from M.W. to S.W. which lasted for 2 days, then had moderate wind and fine weather until arrival in Hongkong.

The North German barque Lorelei, from cloudy weather; the latter part one weather and light wind till arrival in port.

The British steamer Copernious, from Shanghai, reports fine weather all the pes